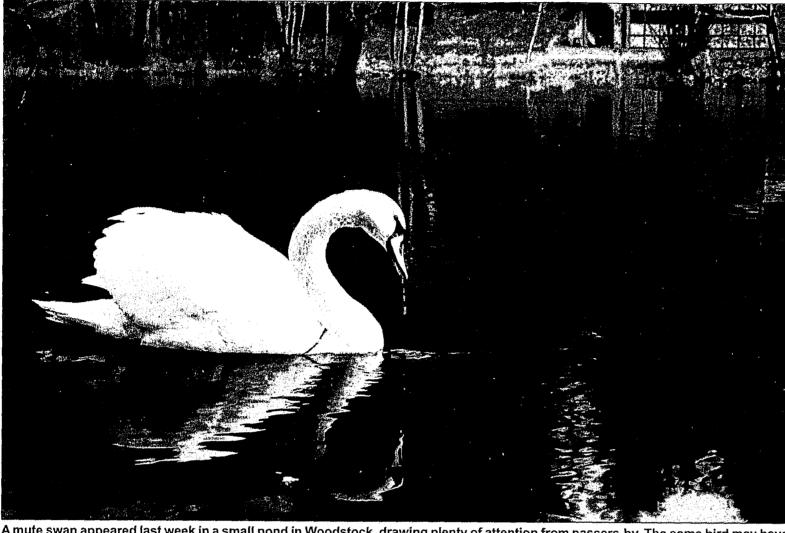
# The Bethel Citizen

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## Biologists: Please don't feed the swan



A mute swan appeared last week in a small pond in Woodstock, drawing plenty of attention from passers-by. The same bird may have also spent several days on Hicks Pond in Greenwood; a swan spotted there disappeared the same day this one arrived in Wood-

## Greenstock residents wonder as they worry over silent, beautiful visitor from the south

By ALISON ALOISIO

Last Tuesday morning, Mary Ann Jordan of Woodstock was taking care of her granddaughter. They were looking out Jordan's window at the birds

But the bird they saw next was not one they expected.

Looking across the road at white puff," said Jordan. "I said, 'Is that a swan? It can't

It was. The large bird appeared to be a mute swan. "The last place I saw a swan

was at Storyland," said Jor-

For the next few days, she

watched passersby do double-

"It was funny," she said. "People would drive by. Then they'd brake, and back up."

al Canada geese around the pond," he said.

The bird stayed for five or six days, then disappeared the

#### 'The last place I saw a swan was at Storyland.'

MARY ANN JORDAN, Woodstock

Jordan said one of her relatives contacted a wildlife biologist, who was skeptical that a swan would show up in this

Several days earlier, on Hicks Pond in Greenwood, Wayne Hakala also saw a

Since the swan arrived in Woodstock, the Citizen has received several calls from people wondering from where it had come.

It has little fear of people,

Eight Bethel area war

honored

veterans "buried in distant

Saturday with their own

marker stones in a regional

The men were among 58

veterans from the River Valley

were

swan. "It was leading sever- and readily came to those who offered it bread or other food.

if it was an escaped or wavward domesticated bird. They were concerned about what might happen to it with the approaching cold weather.

A naturalized swan? While the bird may be an es-

Atlantic state websites, there are "naturalized" mute swans along the Atlantic coast from Massachusetts to Maryland.

the memorial, dedicated at

Veterans Park in Rumford.

See SWAN, page 4

## Recount called in Dist. 91 House race

By ALISON ALOISIO

With only 11 votes currently separating the candidates, a recount in the Maine House District 91 election has been scheduled for Monday.

In the unofficial results from the Nov. 7 vote, Democrat Tim Carter of Bethel led Republican Nancy Bessey of Dallas Plantation 2,115 to 2,104.

The district's towns include Bethel, Newry, Gilead, Hanover, Upton, Woodstock. Stoneham, Rangeley, Eustis, and Kingfield; Albany and Milton townships; and Dallas, Lincoln, and Magalloway plantations.

State police were scheduled to pick up ballots from the 15 towns. The recount will take place at 1 p.m. Monday in the Maine Department of Public

Safety building in Augusta. Ballot clerk issue clarified

At last week's Woodstock selectmen's meeting, Town Manager Vern Maxfield addressed issues that arose in his town concerning the vote.

He said there had been questions regarding Jane Chandler. who served as both the treasurer of Carter's campaign and as a Woodstock ballot clerk on Election Day.

State law prohibits campaign employees from serving as clerks. But, according to Chandler and Oxford County Democratic Chairman Cathy Newell, she is a volunteer. Newell said Chandler also

See RECOUNT, page 4

## School directors hear details of \$4.9 million Reg. 9 expansion plan

By ALISON ALOISIO

Bethel area residents will go to the polls Jan. 9 to vote on a proposed \$4.9 million expansion for the Region 9 School of Applied Technology.

The regional school, located in Mexico, provides vocational education for students from SADs 44, 43 and 21.

Towns that are members of the districts, and towns that tuition students to those districts, will vote in the referendum.

On Monday, representatives from Region 9 presented information on the expansion to the SAD44 School Board.

Region 9 officials argue project is needed for three reasons: to bring the existing facility into compliance with current safety and other codes, better accommodate existing programs, and allow for the addition of auto technology and early childhood devel-

Among the current programs are metal and building trades, CNA, and truck driving.

Over the past three years. SAD44 student enrollment in Region 9 increased from 29 to 42. SAD44's annual share of the Region 9 regular operating budget has been approximately \$250,000.

Financing breakdown

The expansion project would be paid for through a combination of grants and loans, over a total of 20 years.

For the first two years (FY'08 and '09), it is estimated SAD44 would pay \$34,000 and \$91,000, respectively, as its share.

There would be an estimated additional \$34,000 in annual operating costs associated with the project.

After 2009, the loan payments would slowly decline. Region 9 board chairman

See REG. 9 page 4

## Woodstock ponders a Junk Ordinance

In response to citizen requests. Woodstock selectmen are considering a junk ordi-

"A number of people are asking more and more about an ordinance," Town Manager Vern Maxfield told the board last week.

He said people had expressed concerns about properties that had "more than one or two cars not running, clutter, old metal parts."

"None of it is dangerous, it's iust unsightly," he said. Dissatisfaction with the sit-

uation, he said, "has been building for a couple of years.

#### TO YOUR HEALTH "The Power of Laughter"

by Carol Emery, MS. Certified Laughter Leader Sat., Nov. 18, 9:30-11:30 am Crescent Park School

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#### **RABIES CLINIC**

There will be a rabies

clinic on Saturday. December 2, 2006 at the Bethel Fire Station from 2-4pm. The fee for the rables shot is \$12. A staff member from the Bethel Town Office will be available to license dogs for Bethel, Albany and Mason residents. Licensing fees are \$10 per dog or \$6 per spayed

or neutered dog.

More people are complaining about a growing number [of propertiesl," he said. In some cases, said Maxfield,

the properties are in areas in which developers have an in-"I've heard from one devel-

oper," he said. The town currently has nothing in place to address

the problem. Writing an ordinance would require drawing a fine line between property owners' rights and the interest of the larger community, he said.

Any proposal would have to be approved by voters at Town Meeting.

If an ordinance were to be established, Maxfield said, "the selectmen would be the

enforcers." The board plans to research options by reviewing ordinances from other towns.

#### **Rotary Country** Breakfast a Gould Academy

Ordway Dining Hall Sunday, Nov. 26 7:30-11am All-You-Can-Eat Buffet to benefit

Scholarships & Community Projects Adults \$6.00

Under 12 \$3.00

same day Jordan spotted the one near her home.

By ALISON ALOISIO

places"

memorial.

Several onlookers wondered

capee, it is also possible the swan is wild.

According to several middle They are descended from

New memorial commemorates Bethel area's fallen veterans buried at sea and in foreign lands

> Len Greaney, a Korean war veteran from Rumford. By Memorial Day, the spearheaded the effort. He began work on it four years

and Bethel area included in other historical records, Greaney located a total of 85 veterans from the region buried overseas or out of state.

remaining 27 will also have a granite stone with the name. rank, branch of service, Through the Internet and hometown, war, date of death,

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(Photo:

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**Oxford Coun-**

(leftand place where they died and are buried (or, if their remains were not recovered. where a marker or listing is located).

"Each stone has a story," said Greaney.

There is, for example, the story of Pfc. Sigurd Carl Olson of Newry, who served in Korea. Olson was among a group of American soldiers and Korean civilians captured and taken to North Korea on what was known as the Tiger Death March.

One of the Americans managed to keep a record of the soldiers who died along the way and, for those who made it that far, in the POW camp in North Korea. Olson died in the camp, and his remains were never recovered.

Seven men from Bethel also

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#### Thanksgiving Day **EARLY AD DEADLINE**

The Bethel Citizen will be **CLOSED** Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 23 & Friday, November 24

we've had to move our Advertising deadlines to... Friday, November 17 at 4:00 pm

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#### VETERANS THANKS

To the Editor:

The Veterans Day memorial observance and monument dedication in West Paris truly was a tribute to our veterans, old and young, living and deceased. The townspeople showed their respect and appreciation for their servicemen.

A large assembly of the Patriot Guard handed flags and patriotic bracelets to the children and led the parade. They were followed by the American Legion Post 151 Color and Honor Guard. Sincere thanks is due Don Woodbury, emcee; the Cub and Boy Scouts; the Pastors Tyner and Waterhouse; speaker Wade Rainey; Louisa Westleigh who led "America"; Lisa Floster and the Majorettes; Jason Ward and the elementary students who sang "God Bless America" and "America the Beautiful"; Randy Mills who played "Amazing Grace" on the bagpipes; and "Pastor Eric Hanson who played "Taps." We appreciated the participation of our young servicemen: Randy Jones, Vernon Inman, Walter Inman Jr., James Ryerson, and Richard Smith. In attendance were Representative Sawin Millett, Carlene Tremblay who read a message from Senator Susan Collins, and Karen Staples who delivered the wishes of Senator Olympia

In addition to the individual and local businesses that have made funding the monument possible, others who donated time deserve our thanks: those who comprised the planning and eligibility committee, Doreen and Harold Wilbur, Dian and Wade Rainey, Emily Robinson, Louisa Westleigh, and Donna and Nick Diconzo. A heartfelt thank you to Rose and Larry Conant for cleaning the old monument and to Steve McCann for raking the park.

I regret the new monument had not been set for the occasion, but it was truly an honor and pleasure to see this little town funite to support such a worthwhile project. My sincerest thank you to all.

Sylvia McCann West Paris

#### CPS AUCTION

To the Editor:

On Nov. 18, CPS fifth-grade students will be holding an auction at the CPA cafeteria. We have over 100 items for auction, Some of these items are gift certificates to local restaurants, video stores, gift stores, and businesses in New Hampshire. We have gift baskets featuring items from businesses such as Hannaford's in Rumford. We have Christmas items and wall hanglings. We also have artwork that has been donated by local artisans. Twelve yards of loam, sandbox, shoveling tools and other butdoor equipment has been donated as well. Storyland, Santa's Village, Mt. Washington Auto Road, Bethel Outdoor Adventure, Funtown, Portland Museum of Art, Portland Sea Dogs, Portland Stage Company, and the Public Theatre have all donated Lickets, passes or memberships. The Balsams Grand Resort in Pinkham Notch, N.H., has donated a one-night stay for two people, including breakfast. There will be swim passes, an art class and a smoky quartz necklace to bid on as well.

As you can see, we have much to choose from, and with Christmas around the corner this would be a great way to purchase a gift and support the fifth-grade students as well. We will be accepting cash and checks as payment. Food will be available during the auction.

Christmas wreaths will be sold at the school from 9 to 12 a.m. If you already ordered them, then you can pick them up during That time.

We hope to see you there, and if you have any questions, you may call Regina Saucier at 824-7541 or Amy Verrill at 369-0668.

> Regina Saucier For the fifth-grade fundraising committee

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

We do not knowingly publish letters that have been submitted to other newspapers, letters to third parties or letters that endorse products. We do not publish letters that are unsigned. These guidelines will be waived, however, when doing so is deemed to be in the community's interest.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

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Note: The following letter was sent to Town Manager Scott Cole. Toni Seger of the Western Maine Cultural Alliance requested that it be printed in The Citizen.

#### BYWAYS DECISION QUESTIONED

To the Editor:

To Bethel Town Manager Scott Cole:

Thank you for your letter of Oct. 27, 2006 stating the town of Bethel's position regarding designation of roads within town as a scenic byway. It is and will remain the town's decision whether to pursue byway designation for any roads that pass through Bethel.

I am concerned, although, that the decision seems to have been made using false and erroneous information. The Scenic Byways program empowers local communities to set standards and plan for future growth along designated roads. The first step after designation is the development of Corridor Management Plan (CMP). All communities along a byway have input into the CMP. Once the CMP is complete it is hoped that the town, by whatever means they see fit, would adopt the CMP as part of their comprehensive plan.

Maine has had state designated scenic byways since the 1970s and federally designated byways for over six years. Neither the state nor federal government has imposed special requirements on adjacent property owners in this time or has any future plans to do so. Because of the byway status it is hoped that any development would be sensitive to its location, but the state or federal government is not going to insist on such measures. Regulation of development and land use along a byway is the sole responsibility of the municipality. I encourage you to take a drive along one of the existing byways. I am sure you will see that being designated as a byway does not stagnate growth. If for some reason development occurred that negatively impacted the intrinsic qualities of a section of byway it could be delisted as a byway. If this were to happen the municipality would not be responsible for refunding any scenic byway money that was previously spent on that section of road.

As I stated earlier it is solely the town of Bethel's decision whether to pursue byway designation for Route 2. I would be happy to come up and talk to you, the selectmen, or anyone you want to invite to discuss the program in depth. It is my understanding that there is a group that will be moving forward to get Route 113 designated as a Scenic Byway. If this happens Bethel can certainly propose to attach Route 2 in the future.

> Robert LaRoche MaineDOT Scenic Byways coordinator

#### 'SWIFTBOAT' REVISITED

To the Editor:

Last week's "Swiftboat Clarified" letter typifies an unfortunate trend in some opinion letters. Its references to the "SBVT" attack on John Kerry's military record shows disregard for facts. The "SBVT" have been discredited by both informed military and exhaustive investigation by responsible news organizations. They were supported by wealthy Texans directly connected to Bush organizations such as developer Bob Perry, (\$4.5m) and T. Boone Pickens, (\$2.0m).

SVBT is an outrage to those who served valiantly in Viet Nam, and an insult to well-reasoned discourse. Now, "swiftboating" is a pejorative rather than a complimentary term.

Interested in facts? A good starting place with numerous links is: en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Swift\_ Vets\_and\_POWs\_for\_Truth.

The disinformation and smear campaigns regarding Kerry's military career is a tragic example of a disease in American democracy today. It infects all levels from the White House right down to something as simple and clean as our Scenic Byways initiative. Honest differences in opinion can be forgiven, but deliberate deception cannot. Each of us should be trusted to bring facts and well-reasoned discussion to bear on problems we face and each of us must be held accountable for breaching that trust.

Seabury Lyon Bethel

#### 'SWIFTBOAT' A POLITICAL DIRTY TRICK

To the Editor:

In his attempt last week to "clarify" Toni Seger's choice of the word "swiftboat," Carroll Murphy

neglected to clarify his own political bias.

If one looks up the term "Swiftboated," there are two definitions, the primary one of which Murphy left out. "An ad hominem attack against a public figure, coordinated by an independent or pseudoindependent group, usually resulting in a benefit to an established political force. This form of attack is controversial, easily repeatable, and difficult to verify or disprove because it is generally based on personal feelings or recollections." It was this type of attack by the Swiftboat Veterans for Truth, I think they called themselves, on John Kerry, that coined the term. It was secondarily expropriated by conservatives to paint the heroic quest of these veterans for the

If you look at George W. Bush's campaigns for governor of Texas against Ann Richards and for president against another veteran, John McCain, you'll find other examples of this same political dirty trick as well. Coincidence or not?

For the record, I have no connection with Toni Seger, never having met her, nor have I paid attention to or formed an opinion on the Scenic Roadway issue. Nevertheless, I couldn't allow this example of veiled political spin go unexposed.

Norm Greenberg

#### FLAG THANKS

To the Editor:

Many thanks to Denny Wheeler, Dave and Sonny Bean for all the help flying the flag this past Saturday. Also, thanks to the Bethel Police officer for his well wishes and not taking us to jail for being wacky and disorderly and telling bad jokes.

Dave Freiday

Bethel

## CPS FESTIVAL A SUCCESS

To the Editor:

of all and you did great.

The CPS Fifth Grade Fundraising Committee would like to send a huge "Thank You" out to all of the people who made our festival such a huge success. We had an extremely large turnout of children this year. Both children and parents had a wonderful time playing games in the gymnasium and having refreshments in the cafeteria. The Haunted House was an extremely busy place to visit with some children going thru multiplied times.

Again, we could not have pulled this together without the help of the great people in our community and special thanks goes to them. We would like to acknowledge these individuals: Jewel Clarke and Marion Thurston for their time to do face painting on the kids; Tera Ingraham for her talent with putting together the games for the kids to play in the gym; Loretta and Jerome Holt for designing and putting the Haunted House on. What an amazing job they did!

To our actors Katie Blaszczak, Devin Vail, Katherine Weeks and Joey Patenuade, for spending the night scaring the kids (and parents) in the haunted house; Destiny Long, Hunter Verrill and Reegan for running the tickets for the haunted house; Victor Coolidge for his loaning of the hay for our haunted house.

For organizing all of our food donations and putting it all together: Liz Smith, Gary Inman and Leslie Rowse, and to the parents that baked all the wonderful goodies; The Bethel IGA for donating all the hot dogs and buns; Maine Line Products for the use of the hot dog steamer. For their donations of pizza for the festival are businesses: Bethel's Best, Mallard Mart, New

York Pizza and Finish Line Pizza. Thank you to the Sudbury Inn for their gift certificate for prizes and for an extremely generous donation from Scott Smith at Stone Mountain Mortgage for prizes as well. Thanks to Carol at Pooh Corner for delivering my flowers that I had forgotten to pick up. Thank you Echo Corliss and Tracy Morin for doing whatever needed to be done and just being there. To our judges of the costume contests: John Elliott, Suzie Gordon and Linda Stowell. You three had the toughest job

A lot of our fifth-grade children are to be patted on the back for showing up and helping to put this festival on along with their parents. We couldn't have done it without you.

> Kelly Blaszczak 5th Grade Fundraising Committee



**EXTENSION** The Bethel Water District last week extended its pipeline by about 1.000 feet along Route 2. The 12inch pipe was laid in the ground near the former Carter's Garage, which is currently being renovated into condominiums. The developer will pay for the project. (AA)

# Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson 10 years ago: The Windy Valley Snowmobile Club completed construction of the 105foot suspension bridge over the Bear River in Newry.

The high price of heating oil (\$1.049 per gallon) had increased the demand for dry firewood which was selling for \$110-\$120 per cord.

Mills Market in Andover had tagged 20 deer and 28 bear through the first week of November.

Birth: Courtney Ann Curri-

Deaths: Roswell F. Allen, Rena M. Powers, Alexina Leonia Cronin, Viola M. James.

20 years ago: The Bethel Planning Board voted to accept the plan for the Eden Ridge subdivision.

The first annual EBS/CPS craft fair was a big success, netting \$541.66 to be used for school activities.

A collection of artwork by Arla Patch was on display at the Bethel Library.

Birth: Kyle Robert Mitchell. Deaths: Clarence W. Rand, Frances J. Millett, Bernice E. Bachelder, Edwin W. Russell, Robert F. Bean.

30 years ago: Sunday River Ski Area was open with topto-bottom skiing on one and a half miles of trails.

Telstar defeated Mexico 14-0 in the final game of their Mountain Valley Conference season. The Newry Mothers' Club

sponsored a Hunters' Supper at the Bear River Grange Hall. Births: Heather Marie Da-

vis, Benjamin Tobias Bartlett. Death: Mrs. Helen Farrar Sullivan. 40 years ago: Construction of the new Androscoggin Riv-

er bridge was moving ahead. Plans called for July 1967 completion. Season passes at Mt. Abram

Ski Slopes were \$150 for a family (five members), \$60 adult, and \$35 under 14.

Members of Mundt-Allen Unit American Legion Auxiliary were preparing Christmas packages for servicemen overseas.

Deaths: Verna K. Carter. George Meisner.

50 years ago: Sixty-five Gould Academy students earned honor roll grades for the first marking term; fourteen of them qualified for the "A" Honor Roll.

Seventy-three deer had been tagged in Newry during the first two weeks of November. Over 100 persons were,

served at the Hunters' Supper: sponsored by the West Bethel Union Church.

Birth: Cathy Ann Littlefield. Deaths: Mrs. Elizabeth W. Carson, Guy A. Smith.

60 years ago: Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks moved to their recently purchased home in Kimball Park (now owned by Peter and Vicki Rackliffe).

A sprinkler system was installed in one of the Bethel Inn garages.

Death: Dr. Anson H. Kend

70 years ago: The Townsend Club held a meeting at Bethaven Inn (now Norsemans Inn).

Oxford County Farm Bureau.

reported a membership of 969 men and women. Deaths: Mrs. Mattie George,

Mrs. Alice P. Holt.

80 years ago: A. Van Den; Kerckhoven erected a green-: house by his residence (now! owned by Gould Academy and occupied by Pat and Neil Donovan) on Brighton Avenue (now Elm Street).

W. B. Wight and sons were: sawing long lumber at their! mill in North Newry.

Death: A. F. Warren.

100 years ago: Deer hunting was tough because of the scarcity of deer.

Rachel Mayberry was mak-

ing extensive repairs to her; house on Grover Hill. Measles in Bethel were sub

siding.

#### From the Bethel Police Log:

Wednesday, Nov. 15

At 3:26 a.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to the West Bethel Road for a report of a car-pole accident. The vehicle was on its roof, and the pole sheered in two. The vehicle had also struck two parked cars. The driver, a juvenile, was taken to the hospital with a possible concussion.

#### Monday, Nov. 13

At 11:25 p.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to Route 2 for a car-deer accident. It proved to be in Hanover. The officer secured the scene until a county deputy arrived.

#### Sunday, Nov. 12

At 3:15 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick responded to Main Street for a criminal mischief complaint.

At 2:33 p.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to the East Bethel Road for a report of an assault. Verlie L. Mason, 49, was summonsed for simple assault for slapping a subject.

At 4:30 p.m. Lt. S.R. White responded to Main Street for a welfare check.

#### Saturday, Nov. 11

At 10 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor stopped a vehicle on the Mayville Road for an expired inspection sticker. It was found the driver's license was suspended in Rhode Island. Michael Forbes, 53, of Hanover was summonsed for operating without a license and for an uninspected motor

At 9:50 p.m. Lt. S.R. White assisted a state trooper in Newry with a domestic incident.

#### Friday, Nov. 10

At 2:09 a.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to Cross Street regarding a vehicle theft that had taken place in West Paris. A similar vehicle had been observed on the Bethel street. It proved to be registered to a Bethel resident.

At 5:40 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor and Lt. S.R. White responded to Route 2 for a car-deer accident. The vehicle was towed.

At 1:14 p.m. ACO Mac McCormick was contacted by a subject regarding a bat in his home. The ACO told him he only handled domestic animals. He advised the complainant not to touch the bat, in case it had rabies.

#### Friday, Nov. 9

At 8 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor responded to Vernon Street for a report that a subject who had taken some of the complainant's possessions would not give them back. The subject returned the items when he was told the police had been contacted.

At 9:30 p.m. Officers Mac McCormick and T.J. Reese responded to Cross Street for a report of a cell phone stolen from a school bus.

At 11:49 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to Newry for state police for a report of intoxicated minors. Several were interviewed, and after a trooper arrived, their parents were contacted.

#### Thursday, Nov. 8

At 11:18 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore received a report of a possibly intoxicated pedestrian walking on Route 26. No one could be located.

At 11:32 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to the East Bethel Road for a report of an unwanted subject. The subject left without incident.

#### Tuesday, Nov. 7

At 8 a.m. ACO Mac McCormick responded to Main Street for a complaint that a dog had attacked a subject and ripped his pants. The ACO planned to contact the animal's owners.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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## appears on page 4 this week.



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package pricing" This week's featured treatment: Member of the Maine Sports Massage Team

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#### **Town of Greenwood Planning Board Notice** of Public Hearing

Topic: Site Plan Review Application for Jonathan Wells property aka Round Pond Station located at 41 Marshall Lane, Greenwood Map U05 - Lot 15

Monday, November 20th at 7:00pm Greenwood Town Office 9 Bird Hill Road

Copies of application and submissions available at Town Office



## **ECPR Certification Course**

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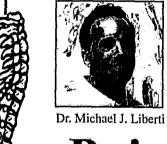
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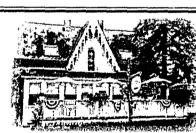
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#### Remington new athletic director

BETHEL-Tim Remington was appointed Monday to the position of half-time athletic director for the Telstar complex, and half-time physical education teacher at Telstar Middle School. Remington had been working as a math teacher at Telstar High School, He has also served as soccer and baseball coach at THS. He succeeds Jim Lunney in the athletic director position. Lunney returned to classroom teaching full time this year, and had been filling in informally with some sports scheduled coordination duties this fall.

#### Dane Tripp named chief deputy

PARIS—Sheriff-elect Wayne Gallant has named Cpl. Dane Tripp as his chief deputy. Gallant, who will succeed retiring Sheriff Skip Herrick, will take office in January. Tripp, 61, of Poland, currently works as the school resource officer at Sacopee Valley High School. Tripp has 26 years of experience in law enforcement, and served in the U.S. Marines in Vietnam. He has also served as an instructor at the Maine Criminal Justice Academy.

#### Dam plans questioned

WEST PARIS—The Board of Selectmen plan to study state regulations relating to minor repairs to the Moose Pond Dam. Selectmen said that according to the Maine Department of Environmental Protection, no permit is needed for such work. The town plans to place new planks in the dam in May, at a level of 18 inches, to keep the pond at a level suitable for recreational use. The planks would be removed in October. Some landowners have expressed concern that their land may flood when the water level is raised. The board also hopes to arrange a meeting between the landowners and state officials.

#### Rumford changes to referendum

RUMFORD—Residents last week voted to amend Rumford's charter to decide the municipal budget and articles by referendum, instead of by public meeting. Advocates of the change said more people would vote on the budget in the privacy of the voting booth. Opponents favored open discussion at a Town Meeting. A Town Meeting will still take place but there will be no action on budget issues. If a budget item is defeated during the June primary, it will be reviewed by selectmen, followed by a public hearing and another vote.

#### Hearing on Berlin prison

BERLIN-A joint public hearing on a proposal to build a medium security Federal Correctional Institution in Berlin, N.H. tonight (Thursday), from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Berlin Junior High School. The Federal Bureau of Prisons proposes to fill 12.7 acres of wetlands and waters within the Androscoggin River watershed in conjunction with the construction of the institution on a 700-acre site off Success Loop Road. The work includes the construction and operation of a medium security institution, a minimum security satellite prison camp, a warehouse complex and a training center.

#### Ban proposed on smoking in cars

BANGOR—A group of local public health advocates is proposing that Bangor become the first place in Maine to outlaw smoking in cars when a child is present. The group has written a proposed ordinance that would impose a \$50 fine on anybody who lights up in a motor vehicle carrying anyone younger than 18. Jonathan Shenkin, a pediatric dentist and child health advocate, said the proposal will be presented to the Ban gor City Council's Government Operations Committee on Nov. 28. If the committee agrees the plan has merit, public hearings will be scheduled before the entire council. Shenkin has been working for months with doctors, public health groups and police to develop an effective and enforceable ordinance to discourage adults from smoking in their vehicles when children are present. He said he was dismayed by a recent report from the Office of the U.S. Surgeon General that showed exposure to secondhand smoke remains high despite a drop in smoking rates nationally. Children, he said, are seldom able to avoid riding with adults or older teens who smoke. "So all our efforts to ban smoking in bars or in the workplace are not benefiting our children," he said. The violation would be a secondary offense, meaning people could get tickets only if the vehicle is stopped for some other reason, such as speeding.



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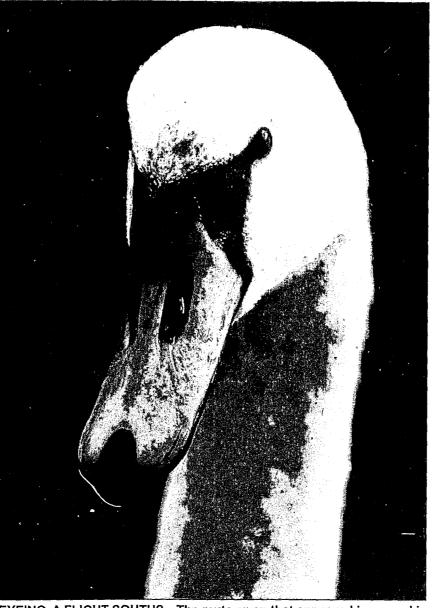
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#### Swan

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EYEING A FLIGHT SOUTH?—The mute swan that appeared in a pond in Woodstock last week may have wandered north from its typical range, which is usually southern New England to Maryland. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

European birds that were introduced to the Hudson River region around the turn of the 20th century,

The swans are not believed to migrate long distances. Rather, during the winter they move from ice-bound freshwater ponds to nearby open coastal bays.

A bird can weigh between 20 and 27 pounds, and takes off laboriously from the water.

Jordan said she saw the Woodstock bird fly once, from one end of the small pond to the other. The swan did labor to take off, she said, making her wonder if it was injured.

#### Stop feeding it

Chuck Halsey, an Inland Fisheries and Wildlife regional wildlife biologist, said he knew of one other mute swan that appeared in the region in recent history. It turned up on the Androscoggin River several

Another IFW biologist, Michael Schummer, said he had seen mute swans in the Kittery and Portland areas, but they typically don't come much farther north.

The birds are considered exotic migratory waterfowl, Halsey said.

They are also considered destructive. "They rip up vegetation and kill other waterfowl," Halsey said.

The combination of their destructiveness and their beauty makes the birds controversial in other states. Halsey said. It's difficult for wildlife officials to consider euthanizing the birds because the public usually objects, he said.

Schummer said mute swans are a big problem in the Great Lakes and the Chesapeake Bay area.

In the case of the Woodstock swan, Halsey strongly recommended that people stop feeding it so it will go on its way, hopefully to a better wintering area.

#### 'Swan song'

The term "swan song" apparently originated with the mute swan. Legend has it that the bird is totally silent until the last moment of its life. It then sings one beautiful song.

Jordan is hoping there won't be a swan song soon for this bird.

"I'd like to see him get to where he should be. I don't want him to freeze," she said.

#### Recount

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served as treasurer in Carter's campaign two years ago.

Deputy Secretary of State Doug Dunbar said he did not see a problem.

"As long as this individual was a volunteer, I don't believe there's an issue," he said.

Votes counted Maxfield also said that "somebody started the story that votes in Woodstock didn't get counted, that they were

discovered afterward. That's not true. There were 12 people here working. It's ridiculous."

Added Chandler, "All votes were counted in the Woodstock election. Each vote is counted by both a Republican and a Democrat. We work as a team and each vote is seen by two people and signed by those ballot clerks, as a matter of checks and balances.

"I have worked as a ballot clerk for approximately 10 years and have faithfully served the people of my town.

"I have kept my personal politics out of that position, instead encouraging all voters to vote and appreciating all who exercise their right to vote, regardless of their party allegiance.

"I welcome the recount to clear up any issues."

Recount in 2004 A recount for a race in Dis-

trict 91 also took place in 2004, with Carter as one of the candidates. He was behind in a close race

with incumbent state Rep. Arlan Jodrey.

Jodrey's victory stood up in the recount, and he served his final two-year term before retiring this year due to term limits.

#### Region 9

Norm Clanton offered a breakdown of the estimated tax impact on \$100,000 of assessed property value for the first two years for each SAD44 member town. The amount for 2008 and 2009, respectively, is listed after each town: Andover, \$10, \$26; Bethel, \$6, \$17; Greenwood, \$8, \$20; Newry, \$2, \$4; and Woodstock, \$5, \$14.

If the expansion project is not approved in January, the grant and interest-free loans from the state will be lost. Clanton said, and the member districts would be left to pay for the compliance portion by themselves.

Reaction

After the presentation, director Sid Pew of Andover said he was generally supportive of education, but was concerned about the tax impact.

"It would put a limit on what

we can do here, as a district," he said. "We need to be stewards to all of our taxpayers."

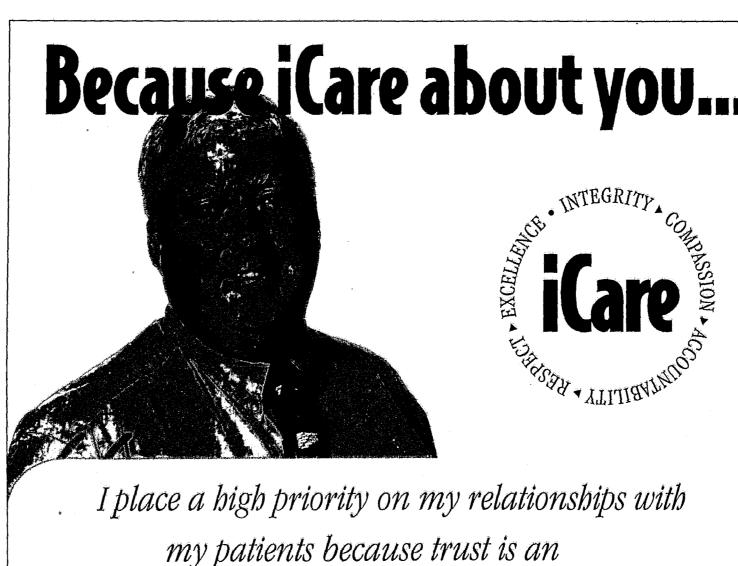
He asked that more information on the effect on SAD44's budget be provided before the vote.

Clanton acknowledged Pew's concerns. "Times are tight," he said. "I flinch when my tax bill comes in. But this is the

cost-effective thing to do." Clanton said that in his 25 years of service on the Region 9 board, he has seen many success stories among its students. In many cases, he said, the program helps keep them in school.

More information on the SAD44 tax impact will be presented at the next School Board meeting, on Dec. 11. A public hearing is expected

to take place in Bethel before the January referendum.



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Horse Drawn Wagon Rides

Deepwood Farm will be giving wagon rides from 2-4pm. Meet at the village common at the wagon ride stop. Fun for all ages! Thanks to Oxford Networks for sponsoring this event!

#### **NOVEMBER 25**

Great Glen Craft Fair

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Over 30 crafters under one roof, on three floors. Raffle and bake sale to benefit Gorham BKL Jr. Skiers. Join The Fun! FMI contact Mary Power at 603-466-2333 or log onto www.greatglentrails.com

#### **NOVEMBER 30**

The Phantom of the Opera and Alloy Orchestra Gould Academy's Performing Arts Series will present the classic silent film "The Phantom of the Opera" with live accompaniment by the Alloy Orchestra. Tickets for the screening of "The Phantom" will be available at the door on the night of the show, adults \$6 and students \$4. FMI please call 824-3575.

For more information on these events, please contact the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282

## Great Ideas to make your Thanksgiving Feast Magnificent!

#### Victorian Blackberry Punch

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1½ cup sugar

3 cups water

3 cups strong tea

Juice of 6 lemons

Juice of 4 oranges

**2 cups** grape juice 1 cup pineapple juice

1 cup blackberry juice

1 cup raspberry juice **5 cups** ice water

issolve sugar in 3 cups water in saucepan, Boil for 5 minutes. Com-Dbine tea, syrup, fruit juices, and ice water in a large container. Pour over ice mold into punch bowl. Garnish with lemon and orange slices. You may want to try this sometime with cranberry juice instead of blackberry juice. Yield: 20 cups:

#### Make Ahead Mashed Potatoes

What's the first thing to get cold while the dinner table's being set? Of course, the mashed potatoes! This recipe will never let this happen again! An easy, quick way to make mashed potatoes guaranteed to arrive at your holiday table still warm.

8 potatoes, peeled and sliced

8 oz. cream cheese, softened

1/2 cup sour cream

1/2 tsp onion powder salt to taste

paprika

In a saucepan, combine potatoes and enough water to cover. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat and cook 20 minutes or until potatoes are tender. Drain. Mash potatoes, gradually adding cream cheese, sour cream, salt, and onion powder until fluffy. Spoon into a casserole dish and sprinkle with paprika. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or until thoroughly heated. Or, if made ahead, cover and refrigerate overnight. When ready to serve, bake the casserole uncovered at 350 degrees for 45 minutes, or until thoroughly heated.

#### Triple Corn Stuffing

A really different stuffing to try...goes with turkey or chicken.

1/2 cup butter

11/2 cup celery, chopped

I cup onion, minced

2 thsp parsley, minced 2 tsp poultry seasoning

4 cup water or chicken broth

**16 oz pkg** cornbread style stuffing mix

1 cup popped popcorn, finely ground (grind in blender or food

processor until crumbled)

16 oz can creamed corn

n a large skillet, melt butter over low heat; sautée celery and onion Luntil clear. Add water, parsley, and seasoning; mix well. Cook on low for 2 minutes. Mix in stuffing mix and ground popcorn, blending well. Add creamed corn and mix until thoroughly moistened. You may stuff a medium-sized turkey with this or bake at 350 degrees for about 30 minutes in a buttered casserole dish.

#### Phyllo Roll with Cranberry Sauce

The ham, mushrooms, and melted cheese go very well with tangy cranberry sauce.

1/3 cup celery, chopped

1/3 cup green pepper, chopped

¼ cup green onion, sliced

1½ tsp cooking oil 11/2 cup (7 oz.) fully cooked ham, diced

4 oz. can mushrooms, stems and pieces, drained

½ cup Cheddar or Monterey Jack cheese, shredded 1 tbsp flour

¼ **tsp** pepper

1/3 cup butter or margarine, melted

1 tbsp fine dry bread crumbs

8 sheets frozen phyllo dough (18"x14" rectangles), thawed

1 egg white, beaten

n a large saucepan, cook the celery, green pepper and onion in hot oil until tender. Remove from heat. Drain well. Stir in ham, mushrooms, cheese, flour and pepper. Lightly brush one sheet of phyllo with melted butter and sprinkle with 12 teaspoon of bread crumbs. Top with remaining sheets of phyllo, brushing each sheet and sprinkling with crumbs. Brush top sheet with egg white. Mound ham mixture on the phyllo dough stack, parallel to and about 3 inches from one of the long edges. Fold the 3-inch ends of dough over the edges of the ham mixture. Roll up from the long side (like rolling a jelly roll). Using a sharp knife, make shallow cuts about an inch apart in diagonal criss-cross fashion across the top. Place the roll in a 13x9 baking pan. Brush with more of the butter. Cover and chill, up to 24 hours. (Now is a convenient time to freeze it!) To serve, uncover roll. Bake in a 400 degree oven for 25 to 30 minutes or until golden brown and heated through. Slice and serve warm with cranberry sauce. Makes 4 servings. Doubles easily.

#### Snowballs with Cramberry Sauce This steamed cake has a very smooth, moist texture.

**1 box** white 2-layer cake mix, prepared with listed ingredients

1 cup sugar

1 cup water

2 cup cranberries

1 tbsp cornstarch

Drepare cake mix according to package directions. Pour into 8 greased custard cups. Cover each with foil. Put on a rack in a large kettle with about one inch of hot water. Cover and steam about 25 minutes. Turn out of cups and serve hot with cranberry sauce.

Cranberry Sauce: Cook sugar and water about 5 minutes. Add cranberries and cook until skins burst. Mix cornstarch with a little cold water and stir into cranberry mixture. Bring to a boil. Makes 8 servings.

#### Pannongolsina Idigo

Serve with gingersnaps, vanilla wafers or graham crackers for a sweet treat

1 lb pkg powdered sugar

28 oz pkgs cream cheese, softened

30 oz can pumpkin pie filling

2 tsp cinnamon

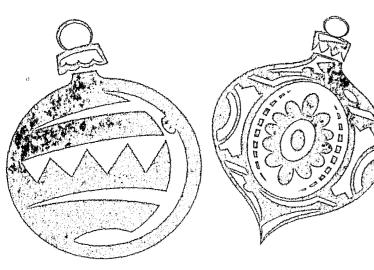
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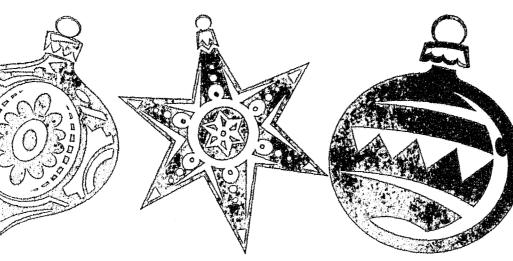
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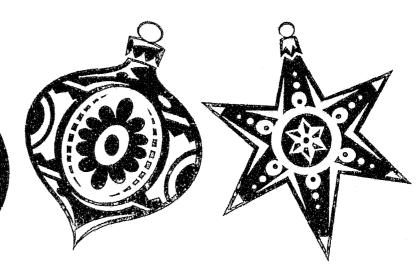


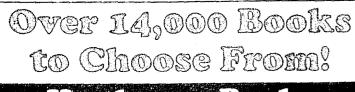
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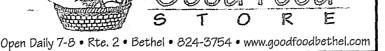
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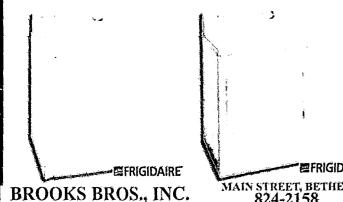


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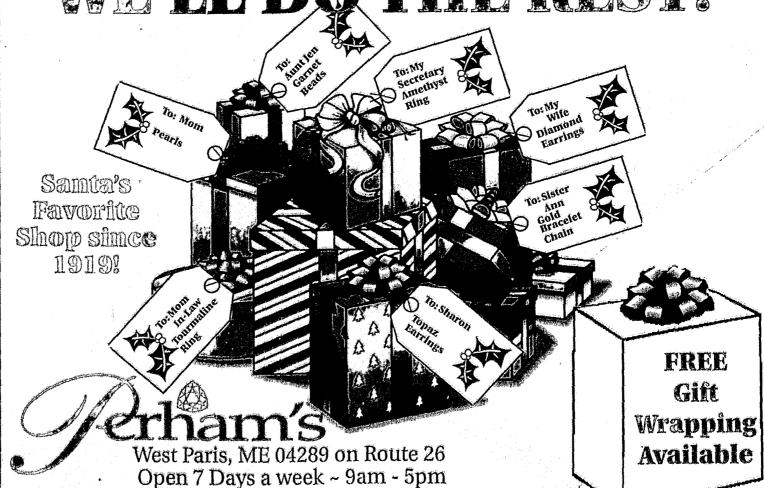
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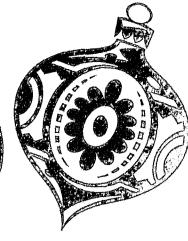
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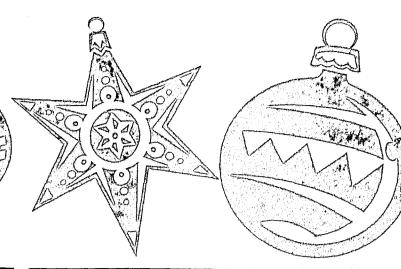
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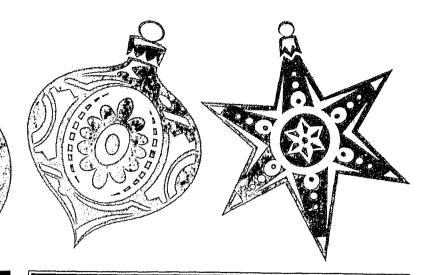
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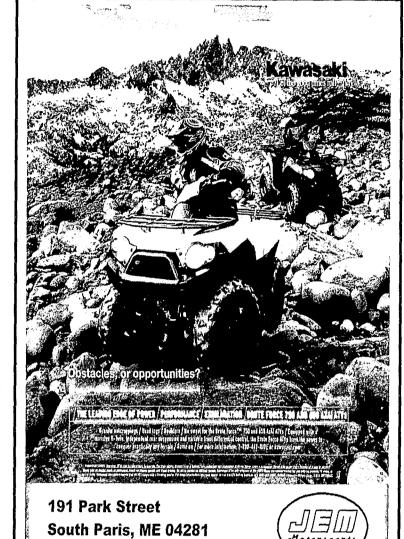












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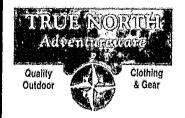
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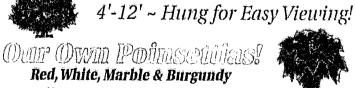
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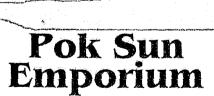




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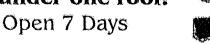
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But "back to the basics" doesn't mean limited variety or supply. Here in Maine around 20 percent of Maine's dairy farms have "gone organic" and that's the highest percentage in the nation.

With local health food stores and even some large chains buying from regional organic farmers, there's plenty to choose from.

The choice is good for the environment as well. Not only are we placing less stress on natural resources, but, by purchasing locally-grown organic foods, we're helping to keep family farms in business.

This can slow the loss of fertile, verdant land to subdivisions and urban sprawl and buying locally can reduce the fuel consumption necessary to ship products long distances. The Maine Organic Farmer's and Gardener's Association (MOFGA) provides training, inspection and certification of organic farms. There are also national standards to help

consumers identify organic foods in the marketplace.

The USDA Organic seal and the word "organic" on a product signifies that at least 95 percent of the ingredients are organic.

For more information on these issues see MOFGA's (www.mofga.org/) as well as the Organic Trade Association's (www.ota.com/) web sites.

Hormone-free eggnog? Happy holiday eating!

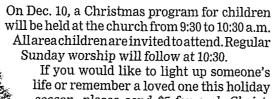
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### **Bethel Methodist Church**

On Dec. 9 and 10, the congregation of the Bethel United Methodist Church is planning a special "Reason for the Season" weekend to celebrate Advent and the Christmas holiday. Special events are being planned.

On Saturday, Dec. 9, following the public supper, a memorial Christmas tree will be lighted. Anyone who would like to honor or memorialize someone is invited to purchase a light on the tree. All names of those honored will be read at the ceremony, which will be held at 6:30 p.m.



life or remember a loved one this holiday season, please send \$5 for each Christmas light, including the name of the person to be honored, to Bethel United Methodist Church, PO Box 387, Bethel, ME 04217. For more information, call Musa at 824-2483.

## The Phantom of the Opera

"A mad, disfigured composer seeks love with a lovely young opera singer." It reads like a modern-day personal ad, but in this case it's the story line of Gaston Leroux's novel which has lent its famous name to films and a Broadway theatrical musical, "The Phantom of the Opera."

"The Phantom" will stage an appearance in Bethel on Nov. 30 at 7 p.m. when Gould Academy's Performing Arts Series presents a screening of the 1925 silent film with live accompaniment by the Alloy Orchestra.

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Performing at prestigious film festivals and cultural centers in the U.S. and abroad including The Telluride Film Festival, The Louvre, Lincoln Center, The Academy of Motion Pictures, and the National Gallery of Art, Alloy Orchestra has helped revive some of the great masterpiec-



"The Phantom of the Opera," directed by Rupert Jillian in 1925, is considered one of the scariest and most influential horror films of all time and Lon Chaney continues to amaze as the mysterious Phantom.

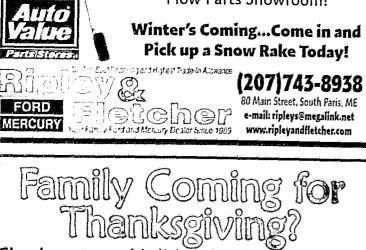
This gorgeous new print, recently restored by Alloy Orchestra's sister company, Box 5, reproduces the extremely intricate color scheme of the

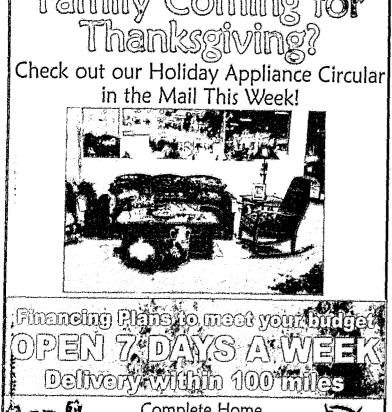
original release with elaborate tinting, the experimental twostrip Technicolor sequence at the masked ball, and luscious hand tinting. Combined with Alloy's new score, this astounding film is as creepy today as it was 80 years ago.

Tickets for the screening of "The Phantom" will be available at the door on the night of the show, adults \$6 and students \$4. For more information, please call 824-3575.









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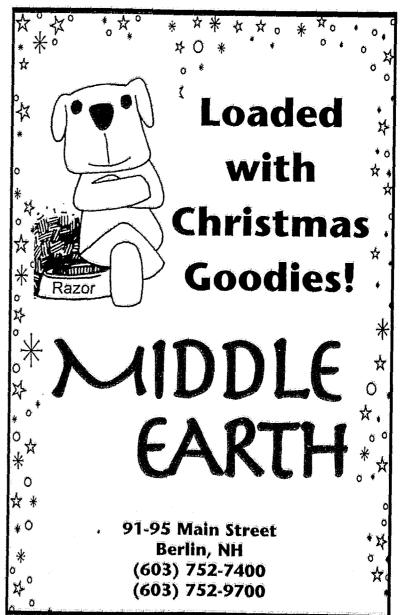
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#### Memorial

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also have stones. They are Capt. Carl Churchill (Vietnam), Pfc. George Mundt (WWI), Ensign Stanley Allen (WWII), 2nd Lt. Parker Brown (WWII), Pvt. Philip Daye (WWII), Cpl. William Grover (WWII), and Seaman 2nd Class Omar Richard (WWII).

Seaman 2nd Class Harold Anderson of Bethel, who served during World War II, is among the veterans for whom Greaney must still obtain a stone. Andersen died in 1944 in the Philippines, when his destroyer was sunk while it was refueling.

#### A place to visit

The memorial in Rumford, said Greaney, will give relatives, friends and others a place to visit to remember the veterans.

A large stone inscribed "Honoring Our Local Heroes, Buried in Distant Places" stands next to the individual ones, which are laid out randomly.

Greaney said because he will add more stones at the site, he placed them randomly, "interlacing the wars."

And, he added, "That way when someone is looking for someone, they'll have to look at the others, too."

John Head of Bethel, a veteran from the Korean Conflict era, attended Saturday's dedication.

"They did a grand job getting it all together," he said. "The location provided a beautiful setting for such a memorial to these veterans from the Androscoggin Valley of Oxford County, with Rumford Falls as a backdrop."

Also attending Mundt-Allen representing Legion Post 81 were World War II veteran Emerson Clough and Iraq veteran M/Sgt. Ernie Aguilar.

"We hope people will visit this hallowed ground," said Head.

#### **Fundraising**

Each stone costs \$125. Greaney has received donations, mostly from the Rumford area, toward the project and has personally provided some funding. He needs to raise a total of approximately

Anyone wishing to contribute to the effort may send a check to the Veterans Buried Overseas Fund, 74 Andover Rd., Rumford,

## Area veterans buried in distance places

#### World War I

George A. Mundt, Bethel. Died 1918. PFC US Army. 7th Field Artillelry Regiment, 1st Div. Died July 20, 1918. Buried at Plot D Row 35 Grave 32 at Oise-Aisne Am Cemetery Fere-en-Tardenois, France.

#### World War II

Stanley W. Allen, Bethel. Died 1941, Ensign US Navy. Service #0-098621. United States Naval Reserve. Died Dec. 7, 1941 aboard the Battleship Oklahoma at Pearl Harbor. Missing in action or buried at sea. Tablets of the missing at Honolulu Memorial Honolulu, Hawaii. (PH).

Harold E. Andersen, Bethel. Died 1944. Seaman, Second Class, US Navy Reserve. (Service #8769884). Missing in action or buried at sea. Died Dec. 18, 1944 aboard the U.S.S. Hull when the Typhoon Cobra struck the 3rd fleet in the Philippines during a refueling operation. Tablets of the missing at Manila American Cemetery in the Philippines.

Parker T. Brown, Bethel. Died 1944. 2nd Lt. US Army Air Forces, Service #0-815823. 763rd Bomber Squadron, 460th Bomber Group, Heavy, 15th Air Force. Died Aug. 6, 1944 over the Adriatic Sea. Missing in action or buried at sea. Tablets of the missing at Sicily-Rome Am Cemetery. Nettuno, Italy. Awards: Air medal, Purple Heart.

Philip W. Daye, Bethel, Died 1944. Pvt. US Army. Service #3139369, 5307th Composite Unit, Merrill's Mauraders. Died July. 1, 1944 in Mytikyimia, Burma. Missing in action or buried at sea. Tablets of the missing at Honolulu Memorial, Honolulu, Hawaii. Awards: Bronze Star, Purple Heart.

William J. Grover, Bethel. Died 1944. Cpl US Army Air Forces. Service #31321883. 831st Bomber Squadron, 485th Bomber Group, Heavy. Died Apr. 20. 1944. Missing in action or buried at sea. Tablets of the missing at North Africa AM Cemetery, Carthage, Tunisia. (PH)

Omar A. Richard, Newry. Died 1944. Seaman 2nd Class, US Navy. (#8229535). Died Oct. 24, 1944. "Buried at Sea." Listed on tablets of the missing at Manila American Cemetery, Manila, Philippines. (PH)

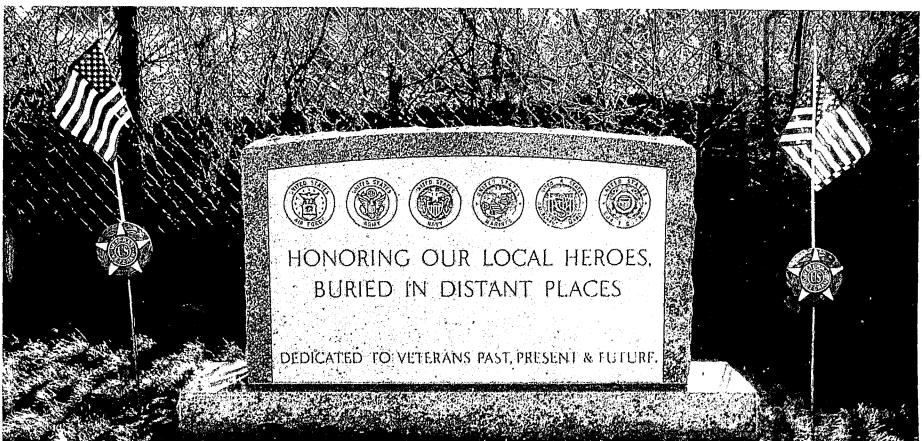
#### Korea

Siguard Carl Olson, Bethel, Died 1951. PFC US Army. Service #11188472. Co C, 1st Bn, 21st Inf Reg, 24th Inf Div. Taken prisoner while fighting the enemy in South Korea on July 5, 1950, forced to march to North Korea on the "Tiger Death March," and died while a prisoner at Hanjang-ni, North Korea on Feb. 5, 1951. His remains were not recovered. Awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge, Prisoner of War Medal, Korean Service Medal, United Nations Service Medal, Korean Presidential Unit Citation and the Republic of Korea War Service Medal. Burial place: North Korea.

#### Vietnam

Carl R. Churchill, Bethel. Died 1970. Capt. US Air Force. Died in North Vietnam May 3, 1970. Missing, body never recovered (BNR). Burial place: North Vietnam.

(Note: Information above provided by Len Greaney)





## The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department

I think that men are much better friends to each other than women are. Have you ever noticed that?

I sense a few female doubters in that thought who are probably groaning as they read this. but I think it's true anyway.

Women form very intense friendships where they tell all and share all, but one false move by one or the other friend and that relationship is history. Only they may not tell the friend, there will just be an abrupt change in demeanor and a big chill in the air.

Men, on the other hand, seem to create relationships with each other that last forever. They accept each other at face value and don't attempt to go below the surface.

Ask a guy if his best friend has a good marriage and he'll probably tell you, "Yeah, I guess, I don't really know. We never talk about it. How about those Patriots?"

Now ask a woman if her best friend has a good marriage and the answer may go something like this; "Well, I guess it works, but to tell you the truth, I don't know how she puts up with him. He's so demanding and such a slob. But, you know how she is, she never sticks up for herself or says what's really on her mind. That's the one thing I don't like about her; she lets other people push her around, other than that I love her dearly. I told her just the other day 'Stand up for yourself, don't let that jerk tell you what to do.' I suppose as long as she keeps bending over to make him happy they get along okay, but it's really none of my business."

Men don't play mind games with each other like women do. If one guy says to the other,

"I've got to cut down on the junk food and lose a few pounds. I've really been packing it on lately." His friend might say, "I know what you mean, I've been packing it on myself. How about those Patriots?"

Two women in the same situation might go; "I'll pass on dessert, I'm trying to lose weight so I can at least get back into a size 14." The friend may respond, "I know it's so hard. I don't know what's been happening to me lately because I've always been a size 8, but you know that new dress I just got? It's a size 6 and it fits like a glove!"

#### Let's face it girls: we do tend to play mind games with each other ...

Or two women of similar overweight size; "I'll pass on dessert, I'm trying to lose weight. I'm too darn fat." Her friend's response; "You look fine to me and I made you that strawberry swirl cheesecake you like so well, won't you just have a small piece?"

Two men discussing a mutual friend; "So what's Bob up to these days? I haven't seen him in quite a while." Friend's response; "I haven't seen much of him either. I guess he's been pretty busy fixing up the house. How about those Patriots?"

Same scenario, two women; "Have you seen Sally lately? Last time I saw her I thought she was getting pretty thick in the hips. You don't suppose she's pregnant again?" Friend's response; "I saw her a couple of weeks ago in the supermarket. You might be right, she definitely is putting on weight.

She can barely keep up with the kids she's got, I don't know how on earth she would cope with another one. I don't really know what's going on in her life; she barely spoke, but she's always been strange anyway."

Let's face it girls; we do tend to play mind games with each other and I don't think that men do. We are so skilled in the art of the put down that we make it look like a compliment. For example; "My little Tommy started walking at 11 months old." "Oh Mary, he's such a smart little boy, but do you remember that my Susie was walking at 9 months old? But of course, she's a girl and girls mature much earlier than boys." Friendship is kind of like a competitive sport for a lot of women.

Guys don't try to make other guys feel guilty because they look good. They don't attempt to force high calorie goodies on their dieting friends. They don't gloat over their children's achievements. I wonder why that is?

It could be because they're more honest than women with each other, but I don't think that's exactly true. Maybe it's because their relationships never go much below the surface, but I'm not sure about that either. Could it be because they direct any need they have to gloat or put someone down on their wives or girlfriends? I don't know.

Whatever the case, the way I see it, men still make better friends than women. And I hope they remember that I said that because after this column hits print, I just may need a few new friends myself. How about those Patriots?

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A PLACE TO REMEMBER THEM—Eight Bethel-area servicemen who died overseas and are buried in distant places are among a total of 85 from the region honored in a new veterans' memorial in Rumford. World War I, World War II, Korean and Vietnam servicemen are represented. Above are the stones of two Bethel area men.

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Bridgton on the evening of

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Bob and Ginny on Monday. Susan Farrar is now at the Market Square Nursing Home, South Paris for physical therapy. She was at Stephens Memorial Hospital following an accident at Rite Aid over a week ago. She would like to hear from friends.

Murray "Mike" Thurston has been transferred to the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris for therapy. He was at Stephens Memorial Hospital for a stay diagnosed with pneumonia.

Ginny Gamble is recuperating at her daughter Laurie Flanagan's, Walker Farm Road, Sudbury, MA 01776, after undergoing emergency surgery at the Newburyport, Mass., Hospital.

Rod Harrington is now recuperating at home after spending two weeks at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

#### Mayville News By Don Bennett

On Saturday, Nov. 11, there was a break in the 8-inch water main near the Good Food Store. Although it was within about 1,000 feet of the site

where a new water line had just been installed, this break was not related to the other job. I biked by and saw Lucien Roberge waiting for an excavator to arrive at 1:35 p.m. One hour later, the pipe which had broken like a cracked egg was repaired and water flowed. In that one hour, Jack Cross had arrived, dug a ten-foot deep working pit, the BWD crew, Lucien Roberge and Don Katlin bolted a sleeve to the broken section and while they were working in the hole, Cross continued to bail out excess water with the excavator's bucket. Lucien said that the water main there breaks almost yearly and he suspects that bad pipe metal is the reason for so frequent breaks. Brad McClain of Cross Excavation was also there to help and act as the ground safety

In regular water district news, last week was also a busy one in Mayville. On Monday morning, Cross Excavation had a five-man crew with two excavators laying the Bethel Water District's new 12-inch main from Clanton's to the Mayville Junction building. Work moved very quickly. In the 1980s when I was a water district trustee, this kind of job would have been bid to an out-of-town firm because no one in Bethel had large enough equipment. So this job employed all local people working for a well-known, local company.

person.

To get some behind-thescene water district news though, I had to see Callie Colby at the BWD office. She reaffirmed in a general sense what was apparent in a specific emergency at the Good Food Store. She said that Jack Cross responds immediately to any water emergency. Having the right equipment loaded up and ready to go as well as employees who are familiar with handling water system mechanics and digging situations has dramatically cut down the hours when water had to be turned off during re-

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Trying to capture a snapshot of what snowmobiling means to Mayville was the project of the week. One aspect of Mayville snowmobiling is the ever present law of unintended consequences - personal disagreements.

As best I can gather, there are five elements to Mayville snowmobiling: 1) the new snowmobile bridge; 2) snowmobile access to the Maine trail system from inns and restaurants; 3) the relationship between the Bethel Snow Twisters Club and local businesses; 4) who are the Mayville snowmobiler's anyway? Lastly, 5) the parties next door to Mayville.

If you are an Internet "info junky" like me, you would never know that there is a \$1.5 million snowmobile bridge in Mayville, Bethel, Maine or the whole world. There is nothing on the Web that I can find that would give a searcher an in-your-face tip that such a bridge exists. (There is now because I put it there as part

of The Bethel Journals.) Snowmobiling in Mayville is divided into upper Mayville and lower Mayville precincts: Upper Mayville (and neighboring businesses) consists of River View Resort, the Sunday River Brewing Company, Liam's Restaurant and Sun Valley Sports.

Snowmobilers from the River View are primarily timeshare guests who came for their week's vacation and brought a snowmobile. This group has snowmobile access once they have crossed Route 2 at the resort and followed an old farm/woods road northwest to the point where they have connected with Maine/ Bethel Route 13 or Rocky Freda's Sun Valley Sports local trail system that ties him into Swan's Corner businesses and then a Swan's Corner to Route 13 link up in the Locke Moun-Barker Mountain notch.

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ville has often been problematical due to the reliance on private, informal agreements and harmonious relations between landowners. The humor to this situation is only apparent to innocent bystanders like me. But last year, one could see the million-dollar bridge from within Mayville, but as an inn guest one did not have access to the main trails and bridge. Word of this paradox, along with chuckles and derisive comments, spread quickly all around Bethel's snowmobile community.

At this date, it seems probable that an agreement among landowners will allow, for instance, for a rider from Fryeburg to snowmobile into the Rostay or for a snowmobile guest at the Briar Lea to ride out to Route 13 then north to Sunday River, Grafton, and Upton.

There needs to be closer ties between two groups: the volunteer snowmobile clubs (who do the work) and the group of Mayville innkeepers and restaurant operators. These two groups will have to work together for snowmobiling to be part of Mayville's winter business portfolio. Money from snowmobiling has to be shared.

The day is not far away when men and equipment must be hired to maintain trails. Skiers discovered that you had to pay to ski 40 years ago.

The Bethel Snow Twisters, along with the Newry, Gilead and Greenwood/Woodstock snowmobile clubs are the equivalent of the MDOT for snowmobile travel. Gas stations, convenience stores, inns and restaurants cannot take windfall business for granted without either paying for some of the trail maintenance costs or seeing their snowmobile bonanzas wither away. C.N. Brown and a few local businesses contribute cash via advertising and business dues but more financial income is necessary for local trails to be kept up.

Snowmobilers in Mayville are both residents and visitors. As more second and first home development builds in Mayville, the logical conclusion is that more snowmobilers will want to ride out into the state trail system. One safety factor that should be made known during times of development is that it is illebile on plowed roads.

Next door to Mayville at Swan's Corner, a certain robustness in business activity has been showing itself lately. And, south of the bridge, Big Apple, Pat's Pizza, Rite Aid and Mallard Mart have already become a major convenience "mall" attractive to snowmobilers. This situation seems to add up to a smoke signal that snowmobiles can be a profitable alternative to skiing for winter businesses. if they are not such an alternative already. So the question is how will Bethel and Mayville handle this? If the lack of Internet presence of Bethel as a snowmobile center is any indicator, then 40 years after Bethel's snowmobile club formed, it seems time to dust off "Plan A," again.

The gas price at Irving went up three cents on Nov. 9; it is \$2.279 a gallon. At the Bear River Trading Post (Newry Corner) gas is 6 cents lower at \$2.219 a gallon.

West Bethel



Lorrie Hoeh "Rain, rain, go away ... Enough already! Now, if this were

snow, I might be singing a different tune. (Apologies to those of you who don't like winter as much as I do.) Mike is a little put out to see that the grass is still growing, and it's the middle of No-

vember, for pete's sake! We spotted a female cardi-

nal last Wednesday, pecking at the seeds under the hanging feeders. She hasn't shown up since, however. On Thursday Mike saw three snow buntings around the corner on Grover Hill Road. They, at least, think

colder weather is coming. Last Wednesday, Nov. 8, The Mahoosuc Land Trust had another of its "Local Knowledge" programs, featuring Roger Zimmerman of East Bethel. Roger spoke about winter skiing in Baxter State Park. As background, he expressed appreciation for Governor Baxter's foresight in providing this park for the people of the state of Maine. He went on to talk of the spiritual dimension of Mount Katahdin to the Abenaki people and himself, as well.

While skiing from the north end to the south end of the park, about 70 miles altogether, Roger stayed in the park's cabins.

He described the 50-pound packs he and his fellow skiers carried, replete with emergency supplies, such as shovels for digging snow pit shelters, extra pairs of short skis, and repair equipment. Roger also shared slides of beautiful winter scenes from several winter trips to Baxter. There will be further "Local Knowledge" presentations after the first of the year.

West Bethel Union Church had another of its monthly fellowship suppers on Saturday night. The imminence of Thanksgiving inspired Nancy Grover to roast a turkey, and other members provided the "fixin's" for a delicious meal, as usual. The enjoyment and

fellowship of sharing such a repast with friends is probably an equal attraction, though.

On Sunday morning the Chapel Aid met to discuss the group's wreath project. Soon the ladies will be venturing into the woods to gather greens, after which they will be busy transforming them into wreaths and other decorations to be sold at their wreath fair on Dec. 2.

Ada Cummings called one day to tell me that she has moved in with her granddaughter, Tracy Walker, at 117 Flat Road, and would appreciate company. She invites her friends to come and visit, as she is unable to get out much on her own, Her phone number is 836-2681.

Jane Hosterman and John Applin attended the third session of the antiques course at the Bethel Historical Society last Wednesday.

The last session will have taken place on Wednesday of this week. All the participants seem to have enjoyed the classes and claim they have learned a great deal from Jay Boschetti's talks.

I'm wondering how the deer season is going. We have heard precious few shots in the vicinity, nor have we seen any deer hanging in dooryards. Let us know if you have

bagged something, and we'll make you famous! Call or write with news: 836-3011; dhoeh@megalink.net.

Lin Chapman I am certain-

ly glad that the election is over. We had almost 60 per-

cent of the voters show up to cast their ballots. There has been a call for a recount so State Trooper Kyle Tilsley ar: rived on Saturday evening to pick up the ballots.

One good thing about Election Day is that you get to see your neighbors and catch up on the news. Alice and Len Strait are proud grandparents and are counting the months until their next visit.

Computers are just great, when they work! For some reason, mine decided to take on a life of its own. I was talking on the phone with my brother. Steve McLain, and he offered advice on how to make it be have, but it just kept on acting up. It did straighten out after a. while and a few threats on my part, but who knows what will happen next time I turn it on!

We talked with our son, Chris, this past weekend and he was just heading home from an event the radio station had sponsored, where they "stuff the bus" with food for the Salvation Army. They filled it! He. said they had not received any snow and the recent storm had just missed them by going a lit& tle south. The temperature on



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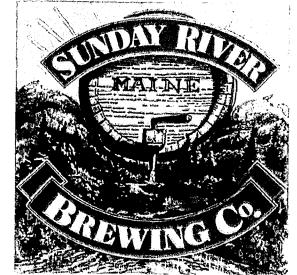
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Wednesday, Nov. 8, was 73 degrees, but the weekend ranged from 14 to 32 degrees.

The past weekend we saw some of our regular winter birds out in the backyard. Besides some chickadees and a woodpecker, there was a Mr. Cardinal and three females.

Our grandson, Ben Chapman of Ellsworth, went to the Cross Country Regionals in Rhode Island this past weekend. The team didn't do as well as they hoped they would, but they still are happy with the trophies and medals they received by being Eastern Maine Champs and taking second place in the Western Maine Class B State Championship. Ben is already planning on next year and has moved on to playing basketball.

Hugh spoke to Norm Buttrick and he told us that he was in Turner for the State Cross Country Meet, but we must have just missed him. He was there with Cathy McGuire who is the coach for the girls' Class C cross country team in Freeport and they took first place and were also in Rhode Island for the Regionals.

Gilead Historical Society The newsletter is nearing completion. There has been so much to do with the election that this editor is running a little behind on the duties for the GHS. The next project is to get a group together soon and decorate the Town Hall for Christmas.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.



by Melinda Averill

Andrea Savitz, president of Andover Service Circle (ASC), tells me that

the group plans to give to the community its 5th annual Senior Appreciation Dinner. It is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 4, in the Andover Town Hall. As in past years, Pat Meek is chairperson of the event. A social hour will start at 4 p.m. followed by dinner at 4:30. The menu will include a variety of casseroles, rolls, salad, beverages, and the all-important desserts. The dinner is open to members of the community who are disabled or are

over 65 years of age. Each person attending is encouraged to bring a guest. As no invitations have been sent this year, all persons wishing to attend are asked to telephone Pat Meek at 392-2281, so that ASC will know how many guests to expect,

The Calvary Bible Church Youth Group has started up; it meets on Sunday evenings from 5 to 7:30 p.m. For the next two weeks they will be making Christmas wreaths, which they will then give out to people in the community.

Congratulations to the following Andover students who received honors from Region 9 for the first quarter: high honors, John Farrington in Building Construction I; Kayla Downs, Certified Nurses Assistant. Honors, Nick Anastasio, Metal Trades I, and Nick Hammond, Metal Trades II.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Jeannette Chenery, who passed away on Tuesday, Nov. 7. She is survived by a son, David and his companion Stacie; two daughters, Vickie Cuff and husband Robert and Carrie-lynn Chenery and companion Raymond Herrick; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A Mass was held on Nov. 10 at St. Theresa's Church in Mexico.

Happy birthday this week to Jacob O. Leary and Taran Vitale, both on Sunday, the 19th. Happy hunting everyone!

Upton Eleanor

LeComte Welcome to the "In between season." Nothing much

happens now that the election is over. Not many deer hunters are here after the Veterans Day Holiday.

I haven't heard of anyone hanging a deer yet. Since we do not have a "check in" station, information is by word of mouth only. The grapevine hasn't passed on the hunting results yet.

Liz and Walter Stanczyc have returned from their road trip to Florida and a Caribbean cruise.

Evelyn and Jim Kenney have also returned from a Nova Scotia visit. The rest of us stayed home and waited for

postcards. A party of seven filled a

round table at the Bull Moose on Friday.

Gene Wixom, Bob Chadroga, Larry and Sue Nelson and the LeComte's enjoyed some very good food. At another table Jeanette and Lionel Roy, Butch and Jack Rousseau enjoyed their meal. The second room of the restaurant was filled with customers from Upton, Errol, Newry and points north. Several hunters were also there.

The "Honor Roll" list hasn't been released yet, but we will mention it when it comes out.

Saturday was "Fair Day" again and a fair day it was with summer-like weather. Evelyn Kenney, Sue Nelson and yours truly hit the "Fair Trail" from Upton to South Paris by way of Hartford. As we traveled the back roads we saw naked trees accentuated with red fall berries. They too were additions to the landscape of western Maine. There are several bushes around the lake which reflect in the lake water. Most of them are impossible to reach without getting a soaking.

Dick Angevine, Dave Wilson, Asher and I.C. Wilson did a little "male bonding" while hunting last week. No venison arrived for the table but they all had a good time.

The little buildings down by the state line on Route 26 are almost complete. They look very good and the latest one is under contract already.

The Canada jays have consumed three pounds of suet in the past week. All the birds have their turn at the suet but woodpeckers, chickadees don't devour the offering. The greedy jays are the "Bird of the Week."

For about a week a huge flock of ring-necked ducks enjoyed the cove. There were no duck hunters in the area so the birds were safe. Ringnecks are a good eating duck so they don't know how lucky they were to survive.

Happy, safe and successful hunting wished for all those out there in the forest pursuing the elusive stag.

Our sympathy is extended to Barbara Stratton on the death of her mother.

There are several copies of the "History of Upton" by Charles Heywood available at the Upton Village Store.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

Everyone is leased that the elections are over. In Ha-

nover 70 percent of the registered voters cast ballots in the Nov. 7 elections.

Ballot clerks were Herb Adams and Donna Worcester for the Democrats and Joan Eyerett and Paul Ramsey for the Republicans, Kelly Crockett was election clerk and Clem Worcester was election war-

Election workers were treated to a beef stew and biscuits lunch provided by Donna and Kelly. Later, workers ordered out at Gordie Howe's Store. Despite urging, no one attempted to vote on the AVS fax voting system.

Even before election results had arrived in Augusta the Secretary of State's office called to have voted ballots prepared to be sent in for a recount in District 91 where it appeared there were 11 votes difference between two candidates. Saturday morning, State Trooper Dan Hanson picked up the voting material from Hanover and other area

The next election will be Jan. 9, 2007, when there will be a local referendum vote on expansion plans at Region 9 School of Applied Technology in Mexico. Hanover and other Region 9 member towns are being asked to approve the project for the region's secondary vocational program.

Daren Worcester, Hooksett, N.H., along with Brad and Mike Worcester of Lewiston, were in the area for their annual hunting excursion with their dad Bill last weekend.

Rumford Fire Department was called to Rumford Point last week for a smell. Nothing was found.

John Booth of Hanover Pines, LLC, has been working on the subdivision formerly owned by NewPage Paper Co. in Rumford. They are now prepared to market the 14-lot subdivision.

We were watching "Gene Towle's Jam" on Local Access Channel 7 the other day when bigger-than-life former Hanover resident Carroll (Cack) Bean appeared on the screen with his dobro guitar singing an old country song, "The Little Shirt My Mother Made for Me." Years ago Cack performed on the radio with Melody Riders as Herkimer the Hermit.

Goodbye Mitzi.



by Sylvia Harrington

On Sunday, it was like a mini-bird paradise here. There were

one male and two female cardinals feeding together, three tufted titmice, many chickadees and my favorite redbreasted nuthatches, both downy and hairy woodpeckers and a pileated woodpecker. Two crows were also feeding. Many do not like crows, but they are also one of my favorites. They do great work of eating the road kill that so often happens in our wooded ar-

This time of year I always shop at Maine Line Products in Bethel. There are so many items depicting outdoor animals and the wonderful balsam fragrance. The prices are within reason as well. Catherine was very helpful as I picked out several items for gifting. I plan to go back for more. They do have special fudge and candles as well as paper products. On Dec. 16, in Greenwood they are hosting a special sales day. As Kevin Mannix says, "more on this" and I say on a later day.

At the BRTP I noticed the list of deer tagged is growing. At the end of the season will get the exact number and who tagged the largest and who won the raffle.

Speaking of hunting, Kevin Barry and friends from Cape Cod, Mass., were here hunting over Veterans Day.

It still isn't too late to have your chimney cleaned. Mine was done a week ago. It always makes me feel better to head into another wood-burning winter with stove and fireplace in good shape.

A special hello to my distant cousin Gladys in Rumford. May she and her family have a wonderful Thanksgiving together.

Karlene and Gilberte were off to Gil's favorite eating place in Locke Mills, the Cinnamon Stick Café, on Sunday. If anyone would like to rent the Grange for a holiday event, call the Town Office at 824-3123

for scheduling. News from the Town Office: The Board of Selectmen meets on the first and third Monday of each month. The Plan ning Board members meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Their agendas are posted at the Town Office. If you need more information about these meetings, you may call the office at 824-3123. All meetings at the Town Of-

fice are open to the public.



by Richard Grover

One more addition to the saga of the Grovers' cra-

zy cardinal: He has resumed fluttering against one window or another. Mona was feeding him on the deck, but some chipmunks kept carrying off the birdseed. She then had me make a small feeder to attach to the outside window sill of the bathroom window, where the chipmunks can't get. Finally, we discovered that he has a lady friend. She is more shy than he, but we're in hopes of having several more cardinals next summer!

Mу great-nephew David Hanscom got his deer the hard way one day last week. Before daylight, he was driving from West Bethel to Augusta for some EMT training. Suddenly, along Route 219 in Sumner a big buck deer appeared directly in front of the car, too close to do anything but brace for the crash. The deer staggered into the woods, and ' the car started "bleeding" its life fluids onto the highway. The car had to be towed back to Ripley and Fletcher's with severe damage. David called his dad "Big David" Hanscom and requested he bring his pickup truck in case they found the deer, which eventually they did, with the help of a Maine State Trooper. David came back to the farm with a 10-point buck with the velvet still hanging on the base of his antlers and a badly mangled front end. The deer weighed 220 pounds, woods dressed, but he looked like he might be a tough one. David said that was the most expensive deer he ever got! Grandfather Rupert Sr. supervised the skinning.

I got my own small buck in the more conventional way on Election Day last week — with a rifle. I'm not telling where the first shot hit!

Thought for the week: "It is often hard to distinguish between the hard knocks in life and those of opportunity!" Frederick Phillips, November "Bits and Pieces."

#### West Paris



Joyce Lamb Even with rain, the past few days have been

been wrapped in plastic, the storm doors have their winter glass in place, the screens have been put away. There are



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bulbs to be planted if I want a colorful flower garden next spring. When the sun shines again I will spade up the flower garden and put the bulbs to

The Rev. Roger Comstock will be the speaker at West Paris Universalist Church on Sunday, Nov. 19, at 9 a.m.

On Nov. 16, the West Paris Universalist Church will hold its 100th Chicken Pie Supper. The supper is at 5:30 p.m., tickets go on sale at 4:30. There will be a special dessert of cream cakes on pedestal plates with real whipped cream, as our ancestors did years ago. All else will remain the same.

The kitchen has been renovated. A light-colored floor is down, new cupboards were added, the ceiling and walls are a light green, so all is much lighter and brighter awaiting the 100th chicken pie supper. Many hands have worked hard to accomplish this. What a grand way to celebrate. So many have helped over the years to keep all running smoothly. All are welcome to join us on Thursday evening.

After celebrating my birthday a week ago with others, son Ken with his children, Caleb, Kyle, Catherine and Carolyn, made a special supper here on the right day. They even had a chocolate-chocolate cake, for I do love chocolate. It was a pleasant surprise.

Others must be active here in West Paris but no one has news for me to write. Please call if you are busy like I am.

My son, Dr. Allen Lamb, visited me over the weekend. He was in Boston and New York for his company. He also visited the Byron Hills in South Paris.

On Saturday, Allen and I shopped in Portland and Freeport. Sunday we got together with Peg Lamb and husband Mike Seaton and Jude Lamb and Rob Collins to eat out at a seafood restaurant in Belfast. By the time we returned to Augusta it was dark and raining hard, so I was "told to stay the night" with Peg. I left for home in the morning and got back to West Paris in time to walk most of the route with our daily walkers. A busy and enjoyable weekend.

Buffy still acts comfortable and goes outside when I can go out with him. He is still sleeping with me and eats a bit of tuna and loves the juice and

drinks a lot of water. His tummy is still extended and hard, I will take care of him as long as he is not in pain.

#### East Bethel



Nancy Mercer Alder River

Grange had its last supper on Nov. 11 with 22 veterans coming

to supper. We appreciate the support the public has shown. A big thanks to Paul and Charlotte Kimball for giving two huge Blue Hubbard squash and loads of turnip for the turkey supper.

A big thanks to June Stearns for making biscuits for the Grange suppers.

Kelly Crockett will be going on a group trip to China on Dec. 7 to pick up the baby girl she and Aaron have adopted. She will be back on Dec. 20. and Robert can hardly wait to see his new sister.

Shirley Lowell, Kim Shannon's mother-in-law Virginia, Dot Bartlett and Nancy Mercer attended the Bethel Senior Citizens group at the American Legion in Locke Mills on Nov, 8.

Andre and Flossie Bernier had a family get-together at Juanita and Phil Korhonen's home in Milton on Nov. 11. There were 33 family members from all around the area.

Ryan Bernier's address is as follows: Ryan Bernier, 455 EMSS/COMM, APO AE 09354. There is no rank in front of his name. He is with his Reserve unit from South Carolina that is now in Afghanistan.

I guess from the weather report we will have rain all week. We did have a lovely week. God Bless the Troops.

#### South Woodstock



Andrea Wing

Today, the annual Chicken Pie Supper will be held at the West

Paris Universalist Church, Thursday, Nov. 16, at 5:30 p.m. The cost is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children 11 and under. Dessert will be cream cake served on

pedestal plates.

Tommy Poland, Joan Poland and I got together Nov. 6 to visit and celebrate Joan Poland's birthday, which was Nov. 7. Tommy prepared a delicious lunch and we spent the rest of the afternoon visiting and catching up on families. We get together for each of our birthdays each year. We all had a good time.

Happy birthday to all those celebrating in November. They are Danny Brown, Isabel Brown, Diana Dunn, Jarod Dunn, Margery Gleason, Dale Hadley, Erlon Hadley, Ozzie Hart, Amanda Miclon, Kris Miclon, Sandra Monzo, Caesar Morgan, Joan Poland, Tim Poland, Anna Ryerson, Perry Ryerson, Faith Verrill, Jerrod Verrill, Randy Wilday and Lorena Wilson, A special happy birthday wish to my sisterin-law, Joan Poland.

News is short this week. I have had a cold for two weeks and feel miserable.

Quote of the week: "I have learned if you keep raising the roof people will think there is something wrong in your at-

#### Bryant Pond



Alice Hoyt News from Mrs. Neiber-

Well, I thought my tidbits news were over but a few

more things came up to write about. Meredith (Howe) came in with her little girl, Abby. She is cute as a button and 5 years old. Cindy Bobbe came in with

pictures of Victoria's trip to Tignes, France. They were breathtaking, the snow-covered mountains, the mountain range, the blue sky and Victoria with her friends. Awesome pictures! The mountains were so high. The trip went wonderful, also.

Alicia (Coolidge) came in with the triplets, Bradley, Justin and Alexis, who are one and a half years old. All three were napping in the car. They always take a nap at the same time. Alicia showed me the wagon she pulls them in for walks. Three separate wagons that connect like train cars. It has been a year since she and her husband have lived in their new house.

Tracey Noyes' daughter, Chelsey, and her husband live in Rumford and are expecting their first child in February at the Stephens Memorial Hospital. Also, Josh Noyes is in college this year. Chuckie Noves is Chelsey and Josh's father.

The Chicken Pie Supper at the West Paris Universalist Church will be held on Thursday, Nov. 16, starting at 5:30 p.m. Tickets go on sale at 4:30 p.m., adults \$7, children 11 and under \$3. Because this is the church's 100th anniversary, dessert will be much the same as when the chicken pie Suppers started, cream cake served on pedestal plates.

Franklin Grange 124 met at the Grange Hall on Nov. 4 with 10 members present. The Hee Haw Show will be held on Saturday, Nov. 18, at 7 p.m. in the Grange Hall. Refreshments will be on sale. Sick members were reported on. Program: opening thought; reading; "Veterans Day Definition," written by Bertha DeHaas and read by Russell Yates; song by all "America the Beautiful"; Veterans' Prayer written by Emery Ryerson, read by Yvonne Nowlin; song: "This is My Country"; poem: written by Bertha read by Lucy Robbins; closing prayer by Olive Risko; closing song: "God Bless America." The Thanksgiving basket will be drawn on Nov. 18; please bring in your tickets and an item for the bas-

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m.; morning worship at 10:30 a.m.; choir practice at 5 p.m.; evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting and Thursday at 9:30 a.m. is ladies Bible Study. Nov. 22 at 6:30 p.m. will be a Thanksgiving Eve Ser-The Historical Society Mu-

seum has exceptional exhibits, Curator Larry Billings has been securing them for the winter and finishing up cataloging for the year. Do come to some of the meetings at the Town Conference Room. The museum captures people's interest with a variety of its exhibits. Society members work hard for the organization. Give them your support. Mary White gave some Mann's Mill clothespins to the society.

Curator Larry Billings got

book on the Vatican Museum the other day. Please remember the New England Cultural Center is open year-round by chance or appointment.

Paul and Vicki Billings winterized the Billings' house in Bryant Pond and gave Mary some books and took the family out for dinner at Market Square to celebrate Mary's birthday, Larry has been giving her little presents for several months.

There was a good turnout for Election Day voting.

Do not forget the Grange Hee Haw Show on Saturday, Nov. 18, at 7 p.m. at the Grange Hall. Come support the Grange.

#### Waterford



by Rockie Graham

Last week the weather was beautiful. I guess that is why

we had to have a week of rain. Everyone says, "Well at least it wasn't snow!" Actually, the way the Crooked is surging and Bear Pond is overflowing things would have been better had it been snow. Not that I am asking for snow, but I am concerned about the high water and the effects it may have on pollution especially in Bear Pond due to the Avedisian Property.

That being said, there will be a Special Town Meeting on Nov. 20 at 6:30 p.m. before the Waterford Selectmen's meeting. The issue will be to take \$30,000 from town surplus funds to repair the damage. This money will hopefully be replaced following legal action against the Avedisian estate. The area needs to be cleaned up soon because spring high water could further damage the pond and the homes on and around the pond. The Special Town Meeting will be held in the meeting room at the Wa-

terford Town Office. On Nov. 16, the Waterford Community Potluck Supper will be held at the Wilkins House on Plummer Hill Road in Waterford. The public is welcome and asked to bring a dish to share. Hosts are Karen Wight and Lois Grigg.

On Thursday, Nov. 23, Thanksgiving, there will be a community Thanksgiving dinner at the North Waterford Congregational Church vestry on Five Kezars Road, off Routes 35/37 and opposite Melby's Market. Roast Turkey and all the fixings will be served. Anyone wishing to attend is asked to bring a dish to share. The dinner is open to anyone. If interested please contact the Rev. Frobig at 693-

On Friday, Nov. 17, Fare Share Follies will once again be presented at the Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School. The show will be hosted by Randy Judkins and friends and begins at 7 p.m. There will be a silent auction and refreshments will be available in the lobby. There will be mime by Karen Montanaro, singing by Leah Wolfsong and Rei Cortez and dancing by Debi Irons Art Moves Group, Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12 and are available at Fare Share Market. David and yours truly can be seen selling refreshments. It's a great show so do not miss it.

The Waterford-Stoneham Albany Transfer Station will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 23, for Thanksgiving so the workers can enjoy the holiday with their families. Please plan on coming on the three other days that week.

That is all for this week. Enjoy the week and watch out for high water.

#### <u>Bethel Senior</u> Citizens

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met Nov. 8 at the Locke Mills Legion Hall for their meeting and luncheon with 29 members present. President Nancy Mercer conducted the meeting and led the salute to the flag. Reports were given by Jane Hosterman and Arlene Lowell.

The door prize was won by Marilyn Gilbert and the 50/50 raffle by Emma Page.

Nancy Kimball furnished ceramic Christmas decorations for members to paint.

The next meeting will be Dec. 13 and will be the Christmas Party at the Bethel Inn. Price of dinner is \$9 for members and \$11 for non-members. A social time will begin at 11 a.m. with music by the Banio Band Invitations were

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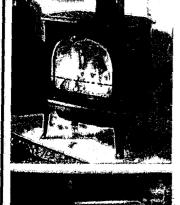
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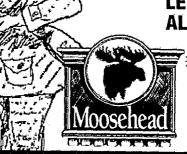
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en to the members who were present and other members will receive them in the mail. Ladies will bring a gift for a lady and men will bring a gift for a man. If you are planning to attend call Dot York at 824-2093 or Mary Paine at 824-2822 before Nov. 29,

Rotary Christmas Dinner for Senior Citizens is scheduled for Dec 12 at the Locke Mills Legion Hall.

Readings were done by Rosabelle Tifft and Barbara Mahler. It was voted to give \$100 to Androscoggin Home Health and also to the Bethel Rotary Club for their Christmas for Children program.

President Nancy Mercer appointed the following for the nominating committee, Maurice and Cecile Lescault and Barbara Patterson. It was voted to pay Dot York for stamps and photocopies of the invita-

November birthdays are: Ernest Angevine, Kathleen Bean, Eleanor Brooks, Nancy Brown, Ray Cole, Robert Davis, Maurice Lescault and Eleanor Pugliese.

#### <u>Bethel Area</u> Chamber of Commerce

The day after Thanksgiving is the busiest shopping day before the holidays. Why not make the day less stressful by avoiding the crowded parking lots and canned Christmas music in the typical big-box stores and malls. In Bethel, we have the perfect event, where 40 crafters and local product producers gather in the Bethel Inn Resort Conference Center for Bethel's Local Craft and

The doors will open at 9 a.m. The Bethel Inn Conference Center is located off Main Street, Bethel, behind the Northeast Bank. Hundreds of one-of-a-kind items will be for sale — perfect for gift giving in any season!

Free horse-drawn wagon rides through Bethel Village will be offered from 2 to 4 p.m. sponsored by Oxford Networks. Interested riders should gather in front of the Bethel Library on the Bethel Common.

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Bethel Village in our unique boutiques offers an unrushed experience as well. Plan to come to Bethel and spend the day enjoying our traditional New England charm. The Wares Fair will end promptly at 4 p.m. and most shops are open for at least another

For more information on the Local Wares and Crafts Fair and the upcoming Country Christmas in Bethel, call the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282 or view our website at www.bethelmaine.

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## Western <u>Mountains</u> Senior College

"Learn how laughter can benefit your well being and be a fun way to stay healthy,' claims Carol Emery, MS, certified laughter leader: She will present a workshop entitled "The Power of Laughter" on Saturday, Nov. 18, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Crescent Park School, Bethel, in cooperation with the River Valley Healthy Communities Coalition where she serves as partnership director of Project NOW Northern Oxford Wellness, A Healthy Maine Partnership.

Emery said laughter has many health benefits. She listed ten as follows: helps communications; connects relationships; lowers blood pressure; helps you sleep better; makes you more playful; reduces stress; stimulates your imagination; increases productivity; boosts your immune system; and builds cardiovascular, respiratory and muscular systems. Emery's workshop will give participants an opportunity to experience and understand all the benefits this kind of laughter offers to improve one's well

being. Emery also said the importance of laughter is well known throughout the world where there are over 2,500 laughter yoga clubs. She said these clubs provide participants with a place to gather and laugh for no reason except that laughter is good for "what ails us.'

This workshop is part of the fall "To Your Health" series sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College and SAD44 Adult Education in collaboration with the Bethel Family Health Center as a community service. Admission is free and open to the public. For more information, call 824-2053 or 824-8610.

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## <u>Friends of</u> <u>Telstar High/</u> Middle School

The Friends of Telstar parent group is pleased to announce the return of the annual Telstar Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 2, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Craft Fair will be held at Telstar Middle/High School gymnasium and will feature a variety of creations for enjoy-

ment and purchase. A sample of the items for sale include minerals, jewelry, knit goods, balsa wood roses, customized ornaments (bring a favorite photo), professional photography, fossils, baskets, children's books, herbal products, quilts, dolls and doll clothing, stuff-yourown animals, birdhouses and many other wooden items, balsam pillows, stockings, pottery, toys, cross-stitch, pillows, wreaths, March of Dimes beanies, a variety of ornaments, and student crafts. There will be student groups, balloons and face painting for the kids, a bake sale, and the vast Raffle Table with a large variety of items and gift certificates donated by our crafters, community businesses, and Telstar families.

Funds raised through table rentals, raffles, and the bake sale benefit Telstar students with activities, special events, and scholarships.

Crafters may still reserve a space by contacting Telstar Middle School at 824-2136 or Pat Nasta at 824-0547.

From

#### <u>West Paris</u> Historical Society

Our October meeting was really great. Our guest, Sayward Lamb, gave a wonderful introduction to his book, "Deer we had lots of laughs. We also had election of officers: Betty Jones, president: Ted Jones. vice president, and Elaine Emery, treasurer and secretary for 2006-07. The members all wish to thank David and Charlene Ring for filling both these seats when we lost Harlan Abbott and Vern Inman tragical-

ly two years ago. Our November meeting is Monday, Nov. 20, with potluck supper at 6 p.m. and a short business meeting at 7 p.m. and Lloyd Waterhouse to tell us about the history of and the purpose for trapping.

We also would like to inform all our members that our Christmas meeting will be held at Elaine and Norman Emery's on Dec. 18 at 6:30 p.m. for coffee, desserts, and exchanging of gifts; we always have a great time.

For more information, please call Ted or Betty Jones at 674-

From

#### Bethel Library

On Dec. 4, the Bethel Library will host a workshop in part with Leah Ustach, an Elder and Medicare D specialist. Appointments will be necessary due to enrollment and/or reviewing current plans will take approximately one hour per person.

All seniors who are interested should call Leah at 795-4010 Ext. 142 to set up an appointment at the library from 9 to

Don't forget to bring your Medicare card and list of current prescriptions with doses and quantities.

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#### S.W.O.A.M.

The Western Maine chapter of the Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine will hold a GPS training session Nov. 18 at the Cooper farm.

State Foresters Merle Ring and Patty Cormier will lead a three-hour session on the Garmin 72 (Global Positioning System satellite-based navigation). The session, a joint meeting with the Upper Kennebec Valley chapter, will begin inside at 9 a.m. with a PowerPoint presentation and conclude outside with field work. Sign-up is required to re-

serve one of the 24 units available. Call Merle Ring at 743-5976 and leave a message. Others are welcome to attend. The session is open to anyone and is offered at no charge.

Coffee and doughnuts will be available at 8:30 a.m. From Route 26 in West Paris,

go seven miles east on Route 219 to Litchfield's store. then north 3/10ths of a mile to

Greenwoods Road. The Cooper driveway is on the left with mailbox 74 and a Tree Farm sign, From East Sumner, go four

miles west on Route 219 to Litchfield's store and right onto Greenwoods Road, SWOAM signs will be posted at the store and at end of driveway.

From Route 108 about 10 miles south of Rumford, take the Worthley Pond road which turns into the Greenwoods Road. Go six miles to the Cooper's driveway.

For further information contact Merle Ring at 743-5976 or chapter President Bill Haynes at 583-2963 (forest@maine. com).

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## <u>Delta Kappa</u> Gamma Society

Zeta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will award a \$300 scholarship this year. Applicants must be women who have completed their freshman year of college, are going into the field of teaching, and come from SAD 17, 21, 39, 43, 44, Union 21, or Peru.

Applicants should submit a letter about their educational background, future plans, and why they feel they would be a good recipient. The deadline is Nov. 30. Please submit your letter to: Toni Hamlin, 8 Frederick Avenue, South Paris, ME 04281.

## Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

The 2006 Annual Fund Campaign has passed the \$23,500 level from over 400 donors, according to John B. Head, chair of the society's Annual Fund Committee. Among the most recent donors are: Charlotte Gill, Anchorage, Alaska; Joshand the Sense of Place" and ua Paul Head, Bethel, in honor of my parents; Joann Mooney, London, UK; Janet Richard-

son, Portland; Colleen Boyd, West Bethel, in memory of Mrs. Albert Bennett; Adaline Clough, Bethel; Lynn and Joe Arizzi, Bethel; Joanna and Josiah Drummond, Bethel; Barbara and Rudy Honkala, Bethel; Olive Risko, Bryant Pond; Mary Ann Ashcraft, Westminster, Md.; Gwyneth and Ken Bohr, Bethel; Thomas and Pauline Carey, Greene, in memory of Ina B. Carey; Sylvia and Norm Clanton, Bethel; Jim and Lucia Owen, Stoneham; Suzanne and John Schneider, Salem, Mass.; Eben and Barbara Freeman, Bethel; Joan S. Goodhew, Atlanta, Ga.; Robert and Anne Greenleaf, North Scituate, R.I., in memory of S. Eldon Greenleaf; Taylor Thompson and Valerie Uber, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; Robert and Pauline Davis, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. A. William Hamill, Richmond, Va.: Alden and Mabel Kennett, Bethel. Much appreciation is expressed to all of the above for their generosity. Those wishing to make a tax-deductible gift to the society before the end of 2006 are urged to send it to P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

Kent C. Ryden, director of the American and New England Studies Graduate Program at the University of Southern Maine in Portland, was the featured speaker for the final lecture of the 2006 season on Nov. 9. This series was sponsored in part by a grant from the Maine Humanities Council in honor of the society's 40th anniversary of founding in 1966.

A graduate of Carroll College in Wisconsin and a native of that state, Ryden, who holds a master's degree in English from the University of Connecticut, and a Ph.D. in American Civilization from Brown University, discussed the New England landscape with an eye to understanding its past. His topic, "Landscape with Figures: Nature and Culture in New England," was presented with a series of intriguing slides along with extended commentary, where he emphasized the role of nature and history in creating and maintaining the New England landscape. An associate professor at the University of Southern Maine since 1994. Dr. Ryden is the author of two books, "Mapping the Invisible Landscape: Folklore, Writing, "Landscape with Figures: Nature and Culture in New Eng-



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With nearly 1,400 members. the Bethel Historical Society, founded in 1966, is western Maine's largest and most comprehensive full-time historical agency, dedicated to collecting, preserving, and interpreting the regional past for present and future generations, For forty years, the society's activities have included lectures, exhibits, special events, heritage festivals, workshops. conferences, school and educational programs, and publications.

In 1974, the society acquired the former Broad Street residence of Dr. Moses Mason, which now contains a period house museum, exhibit hall and research library. In 1999, the society opened the O'Neil Robinson House (next door at 10 Broad Street) to the public for an expanded exhibit program, museum shop space. and administrative offices. Through the years, the soci-'ety's achievements have been recognized by a number of state and national organiza-

Further information about the society and its activities may be obtained by calling 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910, or by sending an e-mail to info@bethelhistorical.org. Additional information can also be obtained by checking the society's website at www. bethelhistorical.org.

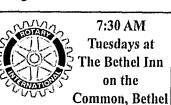
The society's mailing address is P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

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## <u>Neighborly Senior</u> <u>Citizens</u>

There are still a few seats available for the Dec. 11 trip to Indian Head Resort in Lincoln, N.H. Don Who will be present and the \$45 price includes bus, welcome cocktail reception, deluxe luncheon buffet, floor show and dance band. Also, award-winning Christmas party with gift and a visit from Santa, free photo, sing-a-long and more. Entertainment will be by the All New Silver Bells Christmas Review direct from Montreal. Pickups will be in Dixfield, Mexico and Bethel.

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Town of Greenwood **PUBLIC HEARING** 

Topic: Renewal of Liquor License for Mt. Abram Family Resort, LLC, 308 Howe Hill Road, Greenwood. Date: November 21, 2006 Time: 5:00pm

Place: Greenwood Town Office, 9 Bird Hill Road

Copies of the application are available for review at Town Office during regular business hours.



BIKING BROTHERS—Matthew Bragdon, 8, won his first championship in the Maine School. Mitchell Bragdon, 6, placed second in both the 50cc 4-to-6-year-old class Motocross Fall Series. He concluded the year by winning in the 50 cc 7-to-9-year- in the Motocross spring and fall series, and fourth in the 50cc open class in the old class, and in the 50 cc open class. He is a second-grader at the Crescent Park fall series. He is a first-grader at CPS.

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## <u>Oxford County</u> <u>4-H Program</u>

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#### School Lunch Week of Nov. 20

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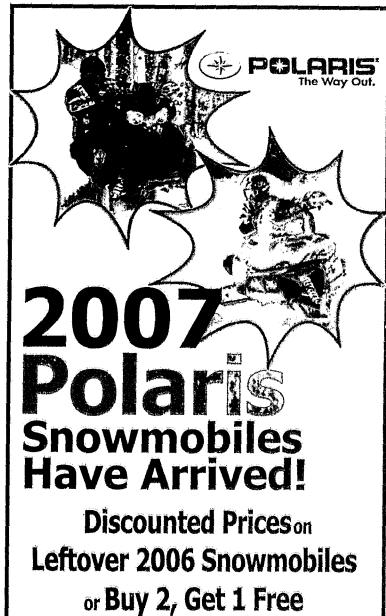
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Gould — Toskela

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gould, Jr. of Bethel would like to announce the engagement of their daughter, Maranda to Taneli Koskela, son of Linda Pulkkinen of Woodstock and Jim Mann of West Paris.

A July 28, 2007 wedding is planned.

#### TOWN OF WOODSTOCK NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Woodstock Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing on November 21, 2006 at 6pm at the Town Office to take comments on the 2006 Appendixes A, B & Cas revised for the General Assistance Ordinance as established by Maine General Assistance law (22 MRSA, 4305-3B).

These appendixes establish the amount of general assistance that is available to qualifying citizens for housing, food, heating and utilities.

A copy of the document is on file at the Woodstock Town Office.

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## <u>Obituaries</u>

**ROBERT A. COFFIN** 

Robert Arthur Coffin, 76, of West Paris, died at his residence Nov. 7, 2006 from complications of diabetes.

He was born in Rumford on Aug. 18, 1930, the eldest son of Arthur and Gertrude (Everett) Coffin Sr. and was educated in Woodstock schools. He married Natalie (Frechette) Coffin on Dec. 18, 1948.

He had worked at Oxford Paper, Whitman Oil Co. of Norway and Benson Oil of West Paris, and later was road commissioner of West Paris for 19 years.

As a young man, he was a member of the Maine Guard and when his sons were young he was a Boy Scout leader and a member of the West Paris Volunteer Fire Department. He had been in declining health for a number of years.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years of West Paris; four sons, Douglas Coffin and his wife Sandra of Auburn, Roger Coffin and his companion Holly of Norway, William Coffin of Poland and Wayne Coffin and his companion Brenda of Poland: two daughters, Laska Swan of Greenwood City and Wendy Chase and her husband Randy of West Paris; two brothers, Fred Coffin of Waterford and Lawrence Coffin of Pinhook; one sister, Pattie Bean of South Paris; 11 grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; his dog, Tyler; as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins. He was predeceased by one son, David Coffin; one brother, Arthur Coffin Jr.; and one sister, Joan Davis.

Funeral services were held at the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, on Saturday, Nov. 11, with the Rev. Bruce Tyner officiating. Burial was at Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond. Memorials are requested to the American Diabetes Association, N.E. Division, 163 Lancaster Street, Portland, ME 04101.

#### LILLIAN FULLER ROSE

Lillian A. (Fuller) Rose, 89, widow of Robert A. Rose of 46 Park Street, Portsmouth, N.H., died Thursday, Nov. 9, 2006 at the Portsmouth Regional Hospital.

She was born in Upton on July 31, 1917 the daughter of John E. and Mary A. (Stewart) Fuller.

Lillian was a graduate of

Gould Academy in Bethel, Class of 1934.

After her marriage to her husband Robert in 1937, she moved to Portsmouth, N.H.

In 1946 they became members of the North Congregational Church in Portsmouth, Lillian was a very active member of the church serving on numerous committees including clerk and Deaconate.

Prior to her retirement, Lillian was employed for nearly 25 years as the secretary at the North Congregational Church.

She was also a member of the Rivermouth Chapter No. 54, Order of the Eastern Star in Portsmouth. Lillian served on the Rainbow Advisory Board and was the recipient of the Grand Cross of Colors; member of the Laureate Gama Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi; Portsmouth Garden Club; and a member of the former Bridget Graffort Club.

Survivors include a daughter, Bette Ann Hirtle of Greenland, N.H.; two grandsons, John P. Hirtle Jr. of Greenland, and Michael Hirtle and his wife Patricia of Greenland; a great-grandson, Erik P. Hirtle of North Hampton, N.H.; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

A memorial service was held on Monday, Nov. 13, at the North Congregational Church, Market Square, Portsmouth. Family flowers only. Memorial contributions may be made to the Market Square Steeple Fund, 355 Spinney Road, Portsmouth, NH 03801. A private burial will be held in the Harmony Grove Cemetery, Portsmouth, at a later date.

#### **WILMER TOTH**

Wilmer Toth, 82, of West Paris, formerly of Las Vegas, Nev., and Phoenixville, Pa., died on Nov. 9, 2006, at Ledgeview Living Center in West Paris.

Born in Phoenixville, Pa., on Dec. 12, 1923, his parents were the late Louis and Veronica (Envedy) Toth.

Wilmer graduated from Phoenixville High School in 1941, served in the U.S. Army during WWII, and attended Rutgers University and Ursinus College, He worked for more than 35 years at the Philadelphia Inquirer in the pressroom, retiring with wife Margaret to Las Vegas, Nev., in

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He loved sacred music, and sang in churches from Maine to California. He also loved singing solos at Toth and Varady weddings and celebrations. In addition to music, he was an avid sports fan, especially football, loved Margie's cooking, was thrilled to live in Vegas, and traveled to all states in the continental U.S.

Surviving are his daughter, Marsha Burns and husband Carl of Andover; three grandchildren, Amy, Byrne, Dover, N.H.; Thomas Byrne and wife Anne, Auburn, Casandra Toth, Pompano Beach, Fla., and two great-granddaughters, Marley and Emma Byrne; and nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his wife, Margaret (Varady), West Paris; daughter, Jane Wheeler, Norristown, Pa.; and son. Mark Toth, Philadelphia, Pa., and all of his siblings.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at 11 a.m. on Nov. 18, at the First Congregational Church in Andover. Contributions in lieu of flowers: Ledgeview Activity Fund, 141 Bethel Road, West Paris, ME 04289.

#### **LEONARD P. ENTIN**

Leonard P. Entin, 78, of Bristol, R.I., formerly of Wayland, Mass, died Monday, Oct. 9, 2006, at his home,

He was the husband of Amelia L. (Swain) Entin for 53 years.

Mr. Entin was born in Roxbury, Mass., the son of Bathsheva (Bertha) Wegler and Samuel Entin.

At age 19, he received a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering (magna cum laude) from Northeastern University in 1947. After stints at engineering which included work at Saco Lowell and Honeywell, he moved into consulting, management and finance. In 1967, he joined Thermo Electron Corp. as a consultant, where he oversaw major acquisitions and mergers, and in 1992, retired as director or corporate development.

Besides his wife, he leaves his daughters, Carol and Paula and their husbands; a grandson, Zachary; and his sister, Sima (Entin) Sathan and her children and grandchildren.

A memorial service was held Sunday, Nov. 12, followed by a reception at the First Parish Church in Wayland, Mass. Instead of flowers, his family welcomes donations in his memory to the DeCordova Museum (https://participate.decordove.org/donate.asp); or the Greater Boston Youth Symphony Orchestra (https://www.gbyso.org/pages/37\_donate\_now.cfm).

#### **BRENDA T. WODKA**

Brenda T. Wodka, 54, of Bethel reached out and took God's Hand on Nov. 13, 2006 after a courageous battle with cancer at the home of her sister, Wanda Worthley in Roxbury.

She was born in Rumford, Aug. 2, 1952 to Elgin "Stub" and Hope Bean Tibbetts. She graduated from Telstar High School in 1970.

Brenda married Joseph Wodka Aug 10, 1974. They lived in Baltimore, Md., where they raised three sons. While raising three sons she worked as a banquet waitress with her mother-in-law Jessie Wodka.

She moved back to Bethel in 1995 and was an active participant of the Bethel United Methodist Church. She enjoyed working on the monthly suppers and summer pie sales. Brenda was famous for her cheesecakes. She ran the Seniors Plus meal site held at the church. She was also a choir member, as Brenda loved to sing

Survivors include her three sons, Ryan Lukas Wodka of Bethel, Aaron Michael Wodka and Joshua Adam Wodka of Baltimore, Md.; grandchildren, Lukas and Emilea Bean-Wodka of Lewiston. She is also survived by her companion and friend, Shadow.

Others survivors include four brothers, Edward Tibbetts of Anchorage, Alaska, Michael Tibbetts and wife Velzora of Sabattus, Warren Tibbetts and wife Sue Howe of Wells, Brian Tibbetts and wife Kathy of Bethel; two sisters. Wanda Worthley and husband Michael of Roxbury and Dorene Vail and husband Kurt of Norway; also many nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents, Hope and Stub Tibbetts and nephew. Donald Emery Ryer-

A Graveside Service will be held at the Riverside Cemetery in Bethel on Nov. 18 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel, ME 04217

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## Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) - Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

The Mahoosuc Land Trust fall mini-eBay auction is up and running. All you need to do is to go to the MLT website, www.mahoosuc.org and click on the eBay auction icon at the top of the page. All benefits the Land Trust,

Public Skating at Hebron Academy's Robinson Arena Nov. 12 through March 4, 2007 from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$1 for 12 and under and \$ for everyone else. Parking at arena parking lot just off Route 119.

Thursday, Nov. 16
Great American Smokeout, one of American Cancer ·Society's signature public health awareness activities. FMI: call Sue Clifford at 373-370 or (800) 464-3102, press 3. 10:30 a.m. — Mom's Gathering (Meeting Other Mothers)

at Fare Share Market, Main Street, Norway, Mothers and expectant mothers and preschool children welcome.
Discussion: Nursing Your Older Baby led by Marty Elkin,
RN, MotherCare of Maine. Mom's Gathering will meet the "I first and third Thursdays each month. FMI: Marty Elkin at

5:30 p.m. — Chicken Pie Supper at West Paris Universalist Church, Menu: chicken pie, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, squash, cranberry sauce, hot rolls, and cream cakes for dessert. Tickets: \$3 for 11 and under and \$7 for all others on sale at 4:30 p.m.

6 p.m. — Bethel Lions Club coffee/meeting at United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2107.

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8 p.m. - "Something's Afoot," sponsored by Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association, will be performed at Norway Grange. Tickets: \$12 for adults and \$8 for 12 and under and senior citizen. Tickets on sale at Books-N-Things, L. Main Street, Norway (739-6200), cash or check only.

Friday, Nov. 17

7 p.m. — The Fare Share Follies and Silent Auction. 'I talents of Karen Montanaro, Debi Irons' Art Moves, Leah Wolfsong/Rei Cortez, Rick Adam, Spence Baird, and Nate Towne, will be presented at Oxford Hills Comprehensive . High School. Tickets: \$10 for adults; \$5 for children under 12. All proceeds go to Fare Share Co-op. FMI: 890-0650 or 743-9808 or e-mail alanaday@megalink.net.

Saturday, Nov. 18

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. - Holiday Fair at St. Catherine's Parish Hall, 32 Paris Street, Norway. Tables available for \$10. To reserve: Sylvia, 743-7231.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. - Holiday Fair at First Congregational Church, South Paris. Popovers, 9 to 10 a.m., lunch, 11 a.m.

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — "The Power of Laughter" will -r be presented at Crescent Park School by Carol Emery, MS, sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College with the cooperation of the River Valley Healthy Communities - Coalition. Carol, a certified Laughter Leader, will explain , why laughter can benefit one's well being and how laughing can be a fun way to stay healthy.

9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. — 32nd annual Holiday Craft Fair at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, South Paris, organized by Marketing/DECA students. Sea glass, jewelry, fudge, fleece items, pottery, antique framed pictures, stained glass items, balsam products, wood paintings, pewter items, , photography, and much more. Gift wrapping, Viking Travel Choir, free baby-sitting. Over 100 door prizes, lunch served, pictures with Santa from 12 to 1 p.m. Admission: \$1 for adults, 12 and under and 65 and over free. FMI: call 743-7756, Ext. 5100.

Live Auction at Crescent Park School Cafeteria, with 2. David Murphy, auctioneer. Over 100 items to be auctioned .º including gift certificates, loam, framed art, clothing, passes 1. to area attractions, Christmas items, overnight stay at , the Balsams in Dixville Notch and much more. Food and beverages for sale at auction. Proceeds for CPS fifth-grade

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Homemade Journal Workshop, a presentation, by Kate, of the Western Maine Girls Association series, "Filling the Well." Charge: \$20 for supplies. To register contact Kate at 824-3459.

10 a.m. to noon -- Cranberry Wreaths Workshop at - McLaughlin Garden, 97 Main Street, South Paris. \$25 for members or \$30 for non-members. Pre-register by calling 743-8820. FMI: visit www.mclaughlingarden.org.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Annual Snowflake Fair at Lovell United Church of Christ, Route 5 in Center Lovell. Handmade items, antiques, knitted sweaters, caps, mittens, balsam fir pillows, wall hangings, celebration baskets and Christmas tree ornaments, wreaths and partridge berry terrariums. Luncheon offered by Ladies Circle.

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — A White Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair at Gorham, N.H., Public Library, 35 Railroad Street. Visit from Santa, Light luncheon. FMI: (603) 466-2525.

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. - Book Review of "Music You Will Never Hear" by Angelo J. Kaltsos will be held at Books N Things, Main Street, Norway. The author relates the story of his guitar-playing uncle's wasted life.

7 p.m. — Hee Haw Show at Franklin Grange 124, Bryant Pond. Refreshments on sale.

7 p.m. — Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield, will present The Maine Hysterical Society, three of Maine's most entertaining variety artists, actors, musicians, and Downeast humorists, Doors open 7 p.m, Tickets: \$15 all seats. Call the theater box office to reserve (336-3306), Visa and MasterCard accepted. FMI: visit www.oddfellow.com.

Sunday, Nov. 19

Noon — Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner for members of the SAD44 community, sponsored by the Telstar National Honor Society at the school cafeteria. All seniors

Tuesday, Nov. 21

11:30 a.m. — Christian Women United meeting/luncheon at First Congregational Church, South Paris. Speaker/music: Joe Perham. Those not contacted please call Pearl Anderson at 743-5724 for reservation.

5 p.m. — Bethel Water District Annual Meeting at Gould Academy's Park-Mason House, 24 Church Street.

Thursday, Nov. 23 (Thanksgiving)

Noon - Community Thanksgiving Dinner at North Waterford Congregational Church vestry, Open to anyone, senior citizens, singles or families who would like to share a Thanksgiving meal. If interested in attending, please contact the Rev. George Frobig at 693-6461.

Friday, Nov. 24

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Local Craft and Wares Fair at Bethel Inn Resort Conference Center. Craft items include wooden ware, baskets, handmade jewelry, maple syrup products, photography, art work, homemade jams and jellies, handknit items, quilts and other quilted items, doll clothes, fleece products, mittens, hats, pot holders and other kitchen items. antler items, alpaca products, and much more. Raffle items. FMI: 824-2282 or e-mail info@bethelmaine.com.
2 to 4 p.m. — Free Horse-Drawn Wagon Rides through

Bethel Village, sponsored by Oxford Networks. Interested riders should gather in front of the Bethel Library on the Bethel Common.

7 p.m. - Norway Open Mic Night a First Universalist Church, 479 Main Street, Norway. Sign-up for performers 6:30 p.m. Admission: \$3. Refreshments available. Performers share acoustic instruments, music, dance, comedy, poetry. FMI: call Heather at 935-4505.

Saturday, Nov. 25

11 a.m. - 30th annual Oxford Hills Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade "Head for the Hills - the Hills of Western Maine" will go from Market Square through downtown Norway as area businesses, civic organizations, schools and choirs usher in the start of the Christmas season, rain, snow or shine. More than two miles of floats, bands. marching units, equestrian units, candy, clowns and, of course, Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus (at the Norway Fire Station). Refreshments. Entry forms can be downloaded directly from www.oxfordhillsmaine.com, and are accompanied by staging information and directions. FMI: call the Chamber office at

Sunday, Nov. 26

7:30 to 11 a.m. — A Country Breakfast hosted by The Rotary Club of Bethel at Ordway Hall, Gould Academy. Allyou-can-eat buffet. Proceeds benefit community projects and cholarships. Tickets: \$6 for adults, under 12 \$3.

Thursday, Nov. 30

7 p.m. — "Phantom of the Opera," with live accompaniment by Alloy Orchestra, a presentation by Gould



## Check out the Great Thanksgiving Recipe Ideas in our Holiday Gift Guide on Page 5!

Academy's Performing Arts Series at Bingham Hall, Gould Academy, Church Street. Tickets on sale at the door only - \$6 adults, \$4 students. FMI: 824-3575.

Friday, Dec. 1

Take-A-Chance Auction at Oxford Hills Middle School Cafeteria to benefit the many 4-H programs in Oxford County. Sponsored by University of Maine Cooperative Extension, 9 Olson Road, South Paris.

7 p.m. — Mary Ukelady and Oen Kennedy will perform uplifting acoustic guitar melodies and ukulele folk songs Friday at Norway Books N Things, 430 Main Street, Norway. FMI: 739-6200.

Saturday, Dec. 2

8 a.m. till gone - Christmas Fair and Breakfast Brunch, at Rumford Point Congregational Church, UCC, Route 2/ Route 232. Crafts, knitted items, baked goods, Christmas baskets, handmade jewelry, Christmas wreaths, quilt raffle, gifts in a jar. Breakfast Brunch recipe books for sale.

9 to 11a.m. — Breakfast with Santa at Crescent Park School. Food, crafts, and photo opportunities with Santa Claus, Free admission, Donations of canned goods 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Annual Telstar Craft Fair, crafts, bake

sale, raffle at Telstar Regional High School Gymnasium, sponsored by Friends of Telstar. Space available for crafters. FMI: call Pat Nasta at 824-0547 or Telstar Middle School 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Craft and Bake Sale at Market Square

Health Care Center. Craft tables available for \$10 must be reserved by Nov. 28 by calling Lynne Wheeler at 743-7086, Ext. 330.

9:30-11:30 a.m. -- Greens Sale at West Bethel Union Church. Crafts, food, cookie walk.

Noon to 2 p.m. - Annual Taste of Bethel and Theme

Wreath Silent Auction at Telstar Regional High School Cafeteria, sponsored by Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. FMI: 824-2282 or e-mail info@bethelmaine.com.

12:30 to 4:30 p.m. - Showcase and Craft Fair at Agnes Gray Gymnasium, Main Street, West Paris. Following at 5 p.m. a Christmas parade will form and proceed to the tree ighting. Area businesses will set up displays and food booths and local artisans will sell their crafts. Mr. and Mrs. Claus will stop in. To schedule display space (\$5 with own table or \$10 if table supplied), call Lisa at 674-2127 or Cindy

1 to 4 p.m. — Christmas Fair and Tea at West Parish Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, Church Street, Bethel. Hand crafted and knitted items, wreaths, Christmas decorations. Homemade foods. Fair Trade products and more.

2 to 4 p.m. — Rabies Clinic at Bethel Fire Station. Fee for shot: \$12. Dog licenses available for Bethel, Albany and Mason residents (\$10 per dog or \$6 per spayed or neutered

#### It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information present ed here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

## Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church.

Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker/Discussion Meeting. Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSEL-ING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

**EXCHANGES** 

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more de-

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm

Tout at 836-2900.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization, Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm, Oxford County Mental Health Services. support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

> POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300): Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

### at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thurssday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday. 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian, 824-2520,

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public. Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday

evening, 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980 Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm, West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm, 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover; Wednesday, 10-12. Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am

Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 am: Pastor Eddie Gammon, Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand

ANDOVER

ALBANY

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wag-

staff. Morning worship 10:45am-Noon with a Sunday School 9:30-10:30am. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Rt. 5, S. Andover, 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellinger (824-2289). Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kidz Klub (4 yrs-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm; Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 am. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info., 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickeman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m., FMI call

Our Lady of the Snows- Effective October 14: Saturday mass will be at 4:30pm. Rev.

Angelo Levasseur, 364-4556. United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-3533 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell. Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron

McNally. 9 a.m Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship, Awana Clubs, FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037. Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of

every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913. Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at North Waterford Congregational Church, Adult Church School Mondays at 7:15pm at Marjorie Kimball's. Church School (up to grade 4), after school on Tuesdays at Stoneham Town Office/Fire Station. Rev. George Frobig, 693-6461.

GORHAM, NH Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m., FMI 603-466-

Church Services

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136

HARRISON Bolster's Mills United Methodist

Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison. Maine, Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor, Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m.. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines Sunday morning service will begin at 9a m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in

Sunday River Christian Ministry -On-mountain interdenominational worship service every Sunday from Christmas Eve to Easter at 10:30 am.. The service is held in the Upper Room of the River House which is the green building just beyond South Ridge Lodge. Use the stairs on the deck; come as you are; all ages welcome. (Special service for Fall Festival, Sunday, Oct. 8, 10 am., free, Load Lift #6. 9:30-9:45 am.)

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd/Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824,4099

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Henry Male Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after. Sunday School

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner, 674-2968. Singsperation third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m..

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sun-

day worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665 2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information. Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday service 8 and 10am, Church school and child care 10am Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more informa-

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828. OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m.

RUMFORD St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Holy

Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Merrill Bittner, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night hible study and youth group 7pm. 170 Andover Road. FMI call 364-3856 or see our website at http://www.forministry.com/usmeaogod-

**RUMFORD POINT** Rumford Point Church Sunday service. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank

SUMNER East Sumner Congregational Linda

Kimball, pastor Sunday service, 9 a.m. WEST PARIS Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship, 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist Sunday Worship 9:15 am., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.: Monday Diaconnette meet ing first Monday of the month. Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30 11:30am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.: Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgkins, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.: Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.: Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) · Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p m. All welcome

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) · Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond Newcomers welcome. Call Dick Stratton at 824-8669 FML

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen Office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The Deadline is Monday at Noon

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- 24 Fox Sports Net 25 ESPN 26 ESPN 2
- 27 Great American Country 28 MTV - Music Television 29 VH1 30 Lifetime - TV for Women 31 Spike TV - TV for Men 32 Country Music Television

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33 Weather Channel

36 CNN Cable News Network 37 Headline News 39 CNBC 40 MSNBC

35 Fox News

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- 44 TNT Turner Network TV 45 Comedy Central 46 FX Network
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- 55 HGTV Home & Garden 56 Food Network
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(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32)	Gilmore Girls	5	Movie: "Dr.	Dolittle 3"			Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6	207 Mag	Inside	Name Earl	The Office		30 Rock	ER		News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ugly Betty		Grey's Anat	omy	Barbara Wal	ters Special	News		
1	News-Lehrer	<u> </u>	Maine Exp	Made In	The Who: To	ommy	Austin City L	imits	Charlie Rose	)	
(22)	SportsCtr.	College Fool	ball: West Vir	ginia at Pittsb	urgh			SportsCente	r		
(34)	CSI: Crime S	Scn	CSI: Crime S	Scn	TNA IMPAC	T]			UFC Unleashed		
Œ	Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: Co	ok Islands	CSI: Crime S	Scn	Shark		News		
(41)	Tailgate	Four Downs	Poker Super	stars	Best Damn S	Sports Show	Sports	Sports	Best Damn S	Sports Show	
(15)	Real Sports		Inside the NI	-L	Movie: "The	Ice Harvest"		Countdown	Cathouse		
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Stud	k in the Subu	rbs" Phil		Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	Star War I	Movie: "Star	Wars: Episod	e II Attack	of the Clones'		"Star Wars: I	Episode III I	- Revenge of the Sith"		
(20)	NHL Hockey	: Toronto Map	ole Leafs at Bo	oston Bruins		Bruins		Be a Bruin	SportsDesk	SportsPlus	
(44)	Movie: "The	Secret of Hide	den Lake"		Movie: "Brea	k-In"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Austi	n Powers in (	Goldmember"		
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Unfabulous	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25)	Man-Snowy		Movie: "Pale	Rider"				Movie: "For a	Few Dollars	More"	
(26)	Law Order: C	1	Law & Order	: CI	Law Order: 0		Law Order: C	l	Law Order: C	:	
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The First 48		Kansas City S	SWAT	Cold Case Files		
(12)	Funniest Hon	ne Videos	Movie: "Con	Air"			WGN News a	t Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39)	The Situation	Room	Paula Zahn i	Now	Larry King Li	ve	Anderson Cooper 360				

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(32)	Gilmore Girls	3	Movie: "The	Count of Mor	nte Cristo"			1	The 700 Club		
0	207 Mag	Inside	Deal or No D	eal	Las Vegas		Law & Order		News		
<b>(3)</b>	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Grey's Anato	my	Ugly Betty		Barbara Wal	ters Special	News		
1	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine.	NOW Keeping Up		Time Goes   Wait God		My Family	MontyPyth	
(22)	SportsCtr.	NBA	NBA Baskett	all: Washingt	on Wizards a	t Detroit Pisto	ns	NBA Basketi	tball: 76ers at Suns		
(34)	CSI: Crime S	cn	CSI: Crime S	cn	CSI: Crime S	Scn	Movie: "Rocl	ky III"			
Œ	Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisp	erer	Close to Hor	ne	NUMB3RS		News		
(41)	Celtics	NBA Baskett	oall: Portland	Frail Blazers a	at Boston Celt	ics	Sports	Tailgate	Four Downs		
(15)	inside the NF	īL	The Wire		The Wire		The Wire		Real Time		
(17)	Montana	So Raven	So Raven	Suite Life	Montana	ontana Movie: "Kim		itch in Time"	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	"Star Wars"	Cont'd	Movie: "The	Empire Strike	s Back"		Movie: "Retu	m of the Jedi	"		
(20)	NASCAR	NASCAR Ne	w England	Outdoors	Port O' Call   SportsPlus		SportsDesk	Bíg East	SportsDesk	SportsPlus	
(44)	Movie: "Fifte	en and Pregn	ant"		Movie: "Unw	ed Father"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	Funniest Cor	mmercials	Comedy Cha	llenge	Something's	Gotta Give	
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	Avatar	SpongeBob	Unfabulous		Full House	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25)	"Pale Rider"	Cont'd	Movie: "Mee	t Joe Black"							
(26)	Law Order: 0	<u> </u>	Movie: "Elf"				Monk		House		
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		
(12)	Videos	Movie: "Batn	nan & Robin"				WGN News a	t Nine	Sex & City Scrubs		
(39)	The Situation	Room	Paula Zahn N	low	Larry King Liv	/e	Anderson Cooper 360				

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(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Ace	Ventura: Pet	Detective"		Frasier	Frasier	Without a Tr	ace	
(32)	"Big Fat Liar	" Cont'd	Movie: "The	Wedding Sin	ger''		Movie: "The	Wedding Sin	ger'		
6	Maine	Maine	Dateline NB0	3			Law & Order	: SVU	News	Sat. Night	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	College Foot	ball: Californi	a at USC				Post Game	News	
1	Made In	Maine Exp	When Sharks	Attack	Warship: At	War	War in Iraq:	Through	Red Green	Red Green	
(22)	Scoreboard	College Foot	ball: Teams to	Be Annound	ed		SportsCenter				
(34)	Most Amazin	g Videos	Movie: "Rock	y IV"			TNA IMPACT	ΓÌ			
Œ	News		Cold Case		CSI: Miami		48 Hours My	stery	News	Ent. Tonight	
(41)	Green	NBA Baskett	oall: Boston C	eltics at New	York Knicks		College Foot	ball: UCLA at	Arizona State	)	
(15)	Democracy	Movie: "The	Transporter 2	,	Comic Relief	2006			20		
(17)	Montana	So Raven	Replace	Dragon	Movie: "Mod	el Behavior"			Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	Interprete	Movie: "Batn	nan Begins"				Movie: "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"				
(20)	NHL Hockey:	Washington	Capitals at Bo	ston Bruins	***	Bruins	SportsDesk The Buzz		SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44)	Movie: "Hum	an Trafficking	" Cont'd		Monarch Co	/ė	Monarch Cov	re	Desperate H	ousewives	
(5)	Movie: "The	Replacement	s" Cont'd		Comic Relief	2006					
(24)	OddParents	SpongeBob	Drake	School	Mr. Meaty	Romeo!	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25)	Movie: "Scar	face" Cont'd	Movie: "Taxi	Driver"			Movie: "Taxi	Driver'			
(26)	"Meet the Pa	rents"	Movie: "Elf"				Monk		Law Order: C	1	
(27)	The First 48	Cont'd	Cold Case Fi	es	Cold Case Fi	les	The First 48		American Justice		
(12)	Lights Festive	al	Movie: "Hom	e Alone"	lone'			it Nine	Sex & City 24		
(39)	This Week at	War	CNN Present	9	Larry King Liv	ve	CNN Saturda	y Night	CNN Presents		

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(3)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		Stone Under	cover	Red Sox	Red Sox	Without a Tr	ace		
(32)	Robin Hood		Movie: "Big I	Daddy"			Movie: "Big Daddy"					
0	Football Nigf	it in America	NFL Footbal	l: San Diego	Chargers at D	enver Bronco	Š		Anna Caracana and Anna Caracana and Anna and An	News		
0	Funniest Hor	ne Videos	Makeover: H	ome	Desperate H	ousewives	Brothers & S	isters	News	Smallville		
1	No Child Left	Behind	Nature		Masterpiece	Theatre			Charlie Rose	)		
(22)	SportsCenter		NBA Baskett	oall: Chicago	Bulls at Los A	ngeles Laker	3	SportsCente	er			
(34)	Movie: "Top	Gun" Cont'd			Movie: "Day	s of Thunder"			CSI: NY			
<b>(B)</b>	60 Minutes		The Amazing	Race 10	Cold Case		Without a Tra	ace	News	The Insider		
(41)	Fight League	-	Poker Super	stars	Outrageous	BCS Show	In Focus	Final Score	Poker Dome	Challenge		
(15)	Movie: "Harry	Potter and t	he Goblet of F	ire'			The Wire		Comedy	Dukes		
17)	Montana	So Raven	Movie: "The	Parent Trap"				Sadie	Suite Life	So Raven		
(18)	History	Movie: "Die	Hard"	in the later of th	t i jin ahini Manasaka ilinaka salam ya		Movie: "Kiss Kiss, Bang Bang"					
20)	Port O' Call	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Be a Bruin The Buzz		SportsDesk Red Sox		SportsDesk Red So			
44)	Movie: "Last	Chance Cafe	)f	للمد في المناطقة معاملة ومن المتعدمة	Movie: "A Da	ughter's Con	viction"		Lisa Williams			
(5)	"The Replace	ments"	Movie: "Men	in Black"	-		Comedy Sale	le to Troops	Movie: "Men	in Black		
24)	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Dora the Exp	lorer	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Prince	of Bel-Air		
25)	Sleeping With	the Enemy	Movie: "Basic	Instinct"	منينتونات الرحادي والمساور والمتالة المعاور و			Movie: "Basi	ic Instinct"			
26)	"Friday After I	Vext"	Movie: "Elf"			-	Movie: "Elf"			No combined to the second		
27)	Flip This Hous	se .	Flip This Hou	se	Flip This Hou	se	Intervention		Intervention			
12)	Funniest	Funniest	American Idol	Rewind	Maximum Ex	posure	WGN News Replay		Sex & City Scrubs			
39)	CNN Live Sun	day	CNN Presents	3	Larry King Li	/6	CNN Sunday	Night	CNN Presents			

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(3)	Fortune	Jeopardyl	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32)	Gilmore Girl	s	Movie: "The	Wedding Sin	ger"		Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
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8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Charlie Br.	He's a Bully	The Bachelo	or: Rome	What About	Brian	News		
1	News-Lehre	r	Antiques Ro	adshow	Kennedy Ce	enter Presents		Keeping	Charlie Rose		
(22)	Monday Nigi	nt Countdown	,	NFL Footbal	l: New York C	Giants at Jack	sonville Jagua	rs	<del></del>	SportsCtr.	
(34)	CSI: Crime S	Son	CSI: Crime S	***************************************	CSI: Crime Scn		Disorderly C		UFC Unleashed		
Œ	Entertain	The Insider	How I Met	The Class	Two Men	Christine	CSI: Miami		News		
(41)	Sports	Dest Wild	Beyond the	Glory	Best Damn	Sports Show	Sports	Sports	Final Score	Best-Sports	
(15)	"Melinda and	d Melinda"	Real Time		Movie: "Milli	on Dollar Bab	y"		Movie: "Just	Friends"	
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Hole	s"		P			Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	The Witches	of Eastwick	Movie: "Cha	rlie and the Cl	nocolate Fact	ory"	Movie: "Twis	Movie: "Twister"			
(20)	NHL Hockey	: Florida Pant	hers at Bosto	n Bruins		Bruins	SportsDesk Hot Stove		SportsDesk Outdo		
(44)	Medium		Lisa Williams	3	Movie: "Griff	in and Phoen	x"	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Puppet Up! L	Incensored	
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Phantom	Full House	Full House		Fresh Pr.		Roseanne	
(25)	Movie: "9 to	5" Cont'd	Movie: "Natio	onal Lampoon	's Vacation"	***************************************	Movie: "Priva	te Benjamin"	1,		
(26)	Law Order: C	:	Law & Order	SVU	WWE Monda	ay Night Raw			Law Order: C	1	
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		Simmons	Simmons.	CSI: Miami		
(12)	Funniest Hor	ne Videos	Funniest Hor	ne Videos	Funniest Hor	ne Videos	WGN News a		Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39)	The Situation	Room	Paula Zahn N	low	Larry King Li	ve	Anderson Cooper 360				

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(32)	Gilmore Girl:	3	Movie: "A C	nderella Stor	<i>(</i> "		Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club			
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1	News-Lehrer		Nova		Frontline		Independent	Lens	- Line			
(22)	College Basi	ketball: Maui I	nvitational Se	mifinal	College Basi	ketball: Maui I	mifinal Tear	ms TBA	SportsCtr.			
(34)	CSI: Crime S	Scn	CSI: Crime S	icn		Another Day"				···.		
Œ	Entertain	The Insider	NCIS		The Unit		3 LBS		News			
(41)	Sports	Football	BCS Show	Outrageous	Best Damn S	Sports Show	Sports	Sports	Final Score	Best-Sport		
(15)	"Cinderella N	/an" Cont'd	Movie: "Doo	m"	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	Tsunami	Real Sports	<u> </u>	Comedy	The Wire		
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "An E	xtremely God	fy Movie"	Dragon	Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven		
(18)	"Battlefield E	arth" Cont'd	Movie; "Men	naids"			Movie: "Mr. &	& Mrs. Smith"				
(20)	CFL Football	: Grey Cup	BC Lions vs.	Montreal Alou	ettes Cont'd		SportsDesk	The Buzz	SportsDesk	BC Preview		
(44)	Movie: "The	Accidental Wi	tness"		Movie: "Dear	d in a Heartbe	at"		Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Sex & City	Sex & City	Friends	Friends	Seinfeld			
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Phantom	Full House	Hi-Jinks	Cosby	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne		
(25)	"Basic Instinu	ct" Cont'd	Movie: "Gho:	st"			·	Movie: "Dow	n and Out in E	L		
(26)	Law Order: C	1	Law & Order	SVU	Movie: "2 Fa	st 2 Furious"			Law Order: CI			
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		Dog	Dog	Dog	Dog	CSI: Miami			
(12)	Funniest Hon	ne Videos	Funnlest	Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	WGN News a		Sex & City Scrubs			
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(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park		
(32)	Gilmore Girls	1	Movie: "Mrs.	. Doubtfire"	<del></del>				The 700 Club			
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<b>1</b>	News-Lehrer	<u> </u>	Walking the	Bible	Walking the	Bible	Walking the	Bible	Charlie Rose	)		
(22)	NBA	NBA Basket	ball: Miami He	eat at San Ant	onio Spurs		College Bas	ketball: Maui I	Invitational Final			
(34)	CSI: Crime S	Scn	CSI: Crime S	Scn	Movie: "Diar	monds Are Fo	rever"					
B	Entertain	The Insider	Jericho		Criminal Min	ds	CSI: NY		News			
(41)	NBA Baskett	ball: Boston C	eltics at Char	lotte Bobcats		Postgame	Sports	Sports	Best Damn S	Sports Show		
(15)	Movie: "Harr	y Potter and t	he Goblet of F	Fire"			Inside the NI	FL	Real Time			
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Beel	lhoven's 4th"			Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven		
(18)	Movie: "JFK"	'Cont'd					Movie: "Cha	rlie and the Cl	hocolate Factory"			
(20)	Bruins	NHL Hockey	: Boston Bruir	ns at Pillsburg	h Penguins		Bruins SportsDesk		SportsDesk	SportsPlus		
(44)	Movie: "The	Pennsylvania	Miners' Story	<i>,</i>	"Fighting the	Odds: The M	larilyn Gambro	ell Story"	Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Sex & City	Sex & City	Movie: "Sele	na"		
(24)	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne		
(25)	"Ghost"	Movie: "Spee	ed 2: Cruise C	ontrol"			Hustle		"The Blues E	rothers"		
(26)	Law Order: C		Law & Order	SVU	Law & Order	: SVU	Law & Order	SVU	Law Order: CI			
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			
(12)	Funniest Hon	ne Videos	Home Imp. Home Imp. E		Becker Becker		WGN News	at Nine	Sex & City Scrubs			
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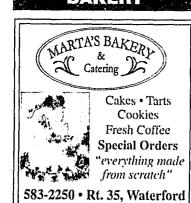


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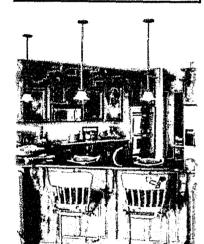
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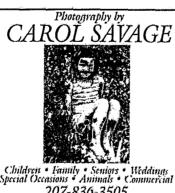
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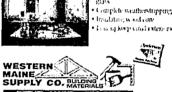
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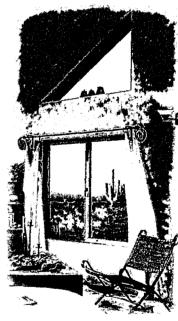
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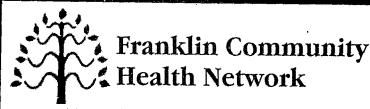
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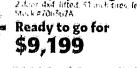


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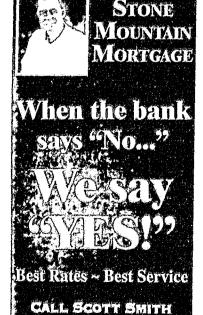


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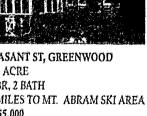
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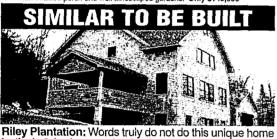
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32 Forest Drive, Bethel: This attractive, log-sided home sits on more than five acres in an established subdivision close to Bethel village and Sunday River. This spacious property has four bedrooms and a finished basement and sleeps 16 people. Sold fully furnished, including a hot tub and pool table. \$395,000



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20 Fairway Drive: Attractive, contemporary home with spacious living on the hole 7 green of the Robert Trent Jones, Jr. championship golf course at Sunday River Golf Club. The 3760 feet of living space includes master

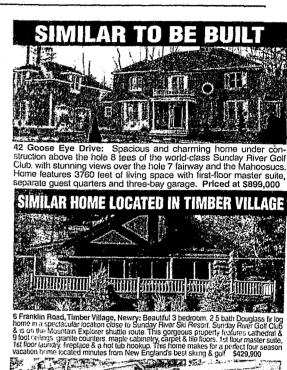




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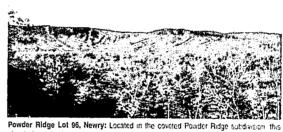




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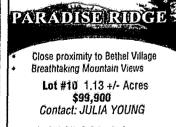
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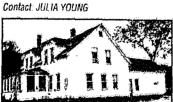
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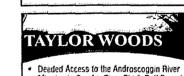
subdivision with choice building lots. Enjoy a peaceful mountainside setting yet still be within 5 minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort base lodges!

Lot 25 1.77 Acres \$65,900

Lot 26 1.40 Acres \$69,900 Lot 27 1.59 Acres \$69,900 Lot 28 1.59 Acres \$74,900 Lot 29 1.04 Acres \$74,900 Lot 30 1.41 Acres \$79,900 Lot 31 1.01 Acres \$74,900 Lot 32 1.13 Acres \$79,900

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# 22 1.70 Acres \$49,900 # 26 1.70 Acres \$51.900 # 27 2.16 Acres \$69,900 # 28 1.70 Acres \$57,900 Contact: CHERI THURSTON

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY **WEST PARIS ROAD** • 3 +/- Acres \$39,900 MT. ABRAM • 2.5+/- Acres \$62,500

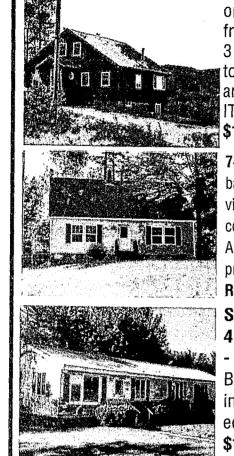
Contact: CHERI THURSTON TYLER STREET • 1.5 +/- Acres \$69,900 INTERVALE ROAD • 25 +/- Acres \$299,000 MANN CAMP ROAD • 2.00 +/- Acres \$179,000

Contact: JULIA YOUNG MASON STREET

• 1.6 +/- Acres \$189,000 Contact: BETHANY ALLEN INTERVALE RD. 43.2 +/- Acres \$180,000

Contact: CAROL EVERETT LOT #2 TARA WAY • 53.7 +/- Acres \$184,500

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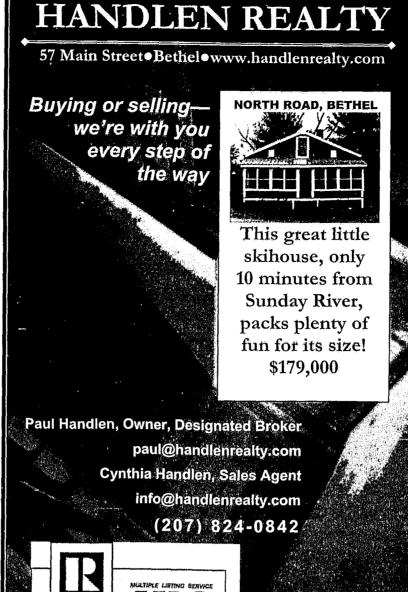
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SUMNER-RAMBLING 4 BEDROOM RANCH - 2 car garage under.

Beautiful landscaping. Outbuildings for equipment and toys. \$159,000



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HOMES

North Road, Gilead 10 acres w/pond 3 bedrooms

Monkey Brook, Newry Newly renovated! 4 bedrooms/3baths \$399,000



\$199,000

**Bryant Pond Village** Woodstock Newly renovated Waterfront 4 bedrooms \$259,000

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Taylor Woods, Bethel: Custom country cape w/outstanding 1st-class quality of construction & superior materials throughout. Builder's own house w/attention to every detail: hardwood & tile floors, granite countertops, high-end appliances, real stone fireplace, 6-rone radiant heat, propane backup gen-tran, all copper plumbing, mahogany deck, custom trim, Pella windows, insulated 2-car garage w/workbench... & MORE! 4BR's, 4 baths, master suite w/whirlpool tub, sunroom, basement office & exercise room, sleeping for 184 & deeded rights to the Androscoggin River! See our website for a complete list of this home's amenities. \$359,900



A DID SA TO SA A Farmers Hill Rd, Andover: Words describing

this camp are: adorable, meticulously main-tained, neat-as-a-pin, homey, country kitchen, comtortable & relaxing Well & septic on site, nice grassy backyard, concrete foundation, new brick hearth w/woodstove, claw-w/shower, screened porch and FUR-Almost 2 acres with an additional actes available. This one sparkles and you



an apram Ski Village, Greenwood: Ski chalet on a meely wooded private lot on Beech Road, within walking distance to longe and lifts! Cote, furnished law store State 5. two dory retro A frame just perfect for all winter activates or for your quiet summer getaway. Relay to the samta or sit by the cone fireplace after a day of sking. Sunny open concept with high beamed ceilings, large vaulted windows, rear deck for entertaining. 2BR's, 2 baths & place for additional parking activisting road! Why rent when you can own at this price! Call us for all the details. \$119,900





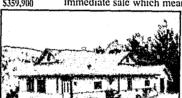
So. Arm Rd, Andover: Here's the camp you've been waiting for FURNISHED & over five acres on the rural road to Richardson Lake! Perfect place to base your boat for fishing, and perfect 3BR camp for hunting, snowmobiling and all other recreational achetics in this forested area. Nice pine cabinet kitchen & cozy woodstove for those chilly nights. Get away from it all, watch the animals & birds, and make this Andover spot your investment in the "good late". Affordable at \$89,900



Main Street (Route 26) Bryant Pond: Everyone knows this popular husiness and now it can be yours! Busy 218-sect dimer, pizzy parter, i.e. cream shor and convenience store being sold along with the 2BR house next noor. Take were this successful venture including equipment which has a lantastic local food reputation



Paradise Rd, Bethel: Nice, high quality IBR, 2 full bath double-wide ranch home, only 5 yrs young, in a preferred neighborhood of Bethel! young, in a preserved neighborhood of Better's Spacious living areas, eat-in kitchen, separate dining toom, master bedroom suite with account tob, first floor laundry, all on a full acre. Located just down the road from downsown Bethel, dining, shopping, golf and, of course, only minutes from the slopes of Sunday River. You can't go wrong at this price! \$137,900



Rte. 232, Bethel: Come see this newly completed custom crafted home built w/super insulation for extra-fugl energy efficiency. Sunny, open concept living & dining area w/high vaulted



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end get-away or second home! Very race WATERERONT camp with sandy beach, flat lawn area & beautiful water view. Wonderful knotty pine interior w-large brack hearth, gas fireview stove, lantastic living area w/windows overlooking the pond, gas lights, wired for general of deck. storage shed and so much more! Property is in creat con dition, just waiting to be yours. Sale include



ROUND POND CHANNEL, GREENWOOD: An acre of land with 500'+/- of water frontage along the banks of the channel extending from Alder River dam to North Pond. South Pond and Round Pond. Use the public boat launch right next to this parcel or put in your own dock & park your camper. Non-buildable lot. \$24,900

FULLER HILL ESTATES, SIOCK: A new subdivision of 12 extra-large lots, the largest at over 22 acres, and all with views! Several lots are premiere with the Mt. Washington range, Lake Christopher & the town of Bryant Pond spread out below. Easily accessible, convenient to nearby lakes, ski areas, snowmobile trails & all of the Bethel area's recreational opportunities. Great planning, incredible views & the size of these lots make this a one-of-a-kind offering. Come see! Starting at \$39,900

SUNSET HILL, BETHEL: Only moments to Bethel village, this wooded lot is located at the top of Sunset Hill Subdivision on the culde-sac! Level, wooded for privacy & a fantastic location make this lot highly desirable. Underground utilities and a 4BR septic design are ready for your blueprints. \$59,900

RICHARDSON HOLLOW, GREENWOOD: 5 ACRES READY FOR A HOUSE! Everything is ready & waiting for you to build or bring in a modular: new septic is in, new drilled well is capped, culverts & gravel driveway all installed and 200 AMP electric panel is set-up & done. This is a great, nicely sloped, lg. wooded lot on a quiet country road with an easy commute south to Norway or north to Bethel. This lot

makes building easy! \$64,900 TOP OF POWDER RIDGE, NEWRY: Drive up the paved hills of Powder Ridge to its highest & uppermost cul-de-sac and experience the best mountain views for miles! All 8 Sunday River peaks are at your feet with the Presidentials & Mahoosucs rounding out a 180 degree panorama that will take your breath away. Over 3 acres just minutes to skiing & golf

in an area of magnificent homes-other lots have good views, but this lot is spectacular! \$199,900 MTABRAM SKIWAY. GREENWOOD: Over three-anda-half acres just up the road from

Westside Ski Lodge! This triple lot is on a town-maintained dirt toad with good frontage and power at street. Lots of possibilities with this one, so give us a call and we'll explain the details. POSSIBLE OWNER FINANCING with as lowas 15% down. \$99,000



Countryside Acres, Bethel: This new Bethel subdivision is like no other: All homes are new log-sided chalets, nicely spaced on tree studded fors wanderground utilities. Newest of them is this fantastic 3BR, 2 bath home with gleaning natural wood ceilings & interior, and room for expansion in the walkont basement. With copper accents on the log railings of the wrap-around deck, beautiful stone fireplace, tiled mudroum & baths, stainless appliances, kitchen island w/wine fridge & cute country pine kitchen, you'll be VI:RY inpressed as you walk through this brand-new log home. Convenient to Mt. Abram, Sunday River Resort & the area's many lakes & ponds. \$234,900



South Pond Shores, Greenwood: Magnificent custom log sided home, just completed & being sold w/matching custom log furnishings. DEFDLD BFACIF& DOCK RIGHTS TO SOUTH POND is the "reing on the cake" for



brand new log chalet with DIT DID BLACH RIGHTS



Flaherty Lane, Off Bethel's Vernon St: Beautiful new log-sided chalet. Birch Woods, Bethel: Beautiful from the road & exeminor speciacular & space in a meely wooded subdivision of similar log fromes. Three bedrooms, 2 when you step inside? New log aded home w.3 finished floors, perclies, deck and full baths, stone freeplace, kitchen island w/wine fridge, stainless appliances, which on sound miside & outside and from for expansion in the walkout subdivisions. Gorgous 2 story stone freeplace, calledral beamed ceiling 4 BRS this stunning prow front chalet that sits on 5.15 private, wooded access Australian hardwood floors, soaring center fieldstone fireplace, valided and community to study the study of the s 

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- ~ Fully ratified and executed sales contract on purchase loans.
- ~ A termite report for the house. ~ Homeowners insurance policy properly listing the lender in the
- Mortgagee Clause.
- ~ Any outstanding items requested by the lender.
- What's included in closing costs? ~ Lender fees (points, appraisal, credit report, underwriting,
- settlement and tax service fee). Prepaids (interim interest, real estate taxes and escrow, insurance
- Settlement costs (title insurance, settlement/ attorney fees, city/ county /state taxes, recordation and messenger fees).

#### Town of Bethel Sale of Tax Acquired Property

The Town of Bethel is receiving sealed bids in the sale of two tax acquired properties described by tax map 15, lot 7 (Hayden) and tax map 12, lot 23 (Merrill, Carrigan). Bidders are encouraged to independently inspect any public records concerning these properties that may be available at the Bethel town office and Oxford County Registry of Deeds.

Deadline for submission of sealed bids to the Bethel town office at 19 Main Street, P.O. Box 1660, Bethel, ME 04217 is 4 PM on Thursday, November 30, 2006. Bids will be opened and available for public inspection at that time. The Board of Selectmen will review bid results at its December 4 meeting and take whatever action deemed by the Board to be in the town's interest. In the event a bid(s) is selected, the town shall issue a quitclaim deed upon receipt of the bid amount in cash or certified check. Sale must be complete within 30 days of acceptance.

#### REAL ESTATE AD DEADLINE: FRIDAY AT NOON





2002 Spacious 3 bedroom cape in Taylor Woods, one of Bethel's most prestigious subdivisions. Living room with brick fireplace, 2 bath, kitchen with appliances, formal dining room, daylight basement, large dormers, HWBB heat, deeded rights to the Androscoggin River!
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#### BEAUTIFUL RIVERFRONT HOME

Located in Rumford Point, Built in 1866 recent renovations including new wiring, heating, and roof. Mountain views. 4 bedroom. Finished walk out basement. Barn with horse stalls and room for ears. 15 minutes to Sunday River. \$435,000



Attractive Village home with 2+ BR with opportunity for expansion located within walking distance of town and village amentities. Fireplace with local rocks. Large deck overlooking the moun tains, 2 car garage, \$325,000



**GREAT STARTER HOME** 

Private Ranch convenient to Rte 26 and just outside Bethel. Spacious kitchen and living area, 3 BR 2 BA, full basement. Nicely landscaped 74 acre lot, great garden spot, bab bling brook & storage barn. Ready to move in \$149,000



EARLY NEW ENGLAND HOME New England home w/ front age on Sunday River. Well main tained property features 7 BR cach with private bath Scenic setting w tennis court, built in swimming pool & extensive perennial gardens. Minutes to king and golf. \$500,000



**NEW LOG SIDED HOME** 

Currently under construction, finished late 2006, 3 BR log-sided home iust south of downtown Bethel and 15 mins. to skiing and golf at Sunday River. Unfinished daylight bsmt with potential for additional BR or family room. \$249,000



HISTORIC WATERFORD HOME

Spacious historic home in the Village master bedroom suite. Wonderful new kitchen well designed kitchen. Retail space currently used for quilt shop. Formerly a B&B with fine din ing. \$479,500



SUNDAY RIVER SKI HOUSE

Great 3 bedroom 2 bath ski house, ride to the lifts and local amenities on the free shuttle in the winter, lots of storage, game/ bonus room on lower level. Most furnishings included. \$269,000



PRIVACY, VIEWS, SPACIOUSNESS

On dead end road with amazing views of Mt Washington & Presidentials, Spacious home w/ sun room, in ground lap pool, deck wit hot tub, studio apt over 3 bay garage, open floor plan with HW floors and Includes over 50 acres. \$569,000



HISTORIC FARMHOUSE

Historic landmark home with large post and beam barn, guest house, blacksmith shop, 3 car garage all on 57+/-scenic acres with 1000+/feet of frontage on the Swift River, and a farm pond. \$785,000



**NEW 3-BEDROOM CHALET** 

Immaculate 3 bedroom chalet from the Bethel village, Bethel Inn and Sunday River Ski and Golf resort. Situated on 1.6+ acres, large wtaparound deck, gas woodstove, fully furnished. \$275,900



**DUPLEX LOCATED IN VILLAGE** 

Great Duplex located in Bethel Village, walking distance to local amenities, new paint, Good rental history, attached barn offers lots of potential. \$229,000



HISTORICAL 18TH CENTURY HOME

18th Century center chimney cape w/ easy access to Sunday River. Many recent improvements, 5 fireplaces, beautiful hardwood floors, spacious attached carriage house and restored barn with cupola. Unlimited possibilities and potential. \$429,000



Spectacular views of Sunday River Ski Resort and the Sunday River Golf Club, this spacious 6 bedroom home is the perfect getaway for those looking for space, rental opportunities and privacy \$495,000



PRIVATE BETHEL HOME

Private 2+ bedroom home with large loft area ideal for additional sleeping or office space. Beautiful hardwood floors, woodstove, cathedral ceilings, tastefully landscaped, mountain views, large deck and private hot tub. \$295,000



SUNNY DORMERED CAPE

Inviting 3 bedroom/2 bath dormered Cape located close to town on a nice country lot. Sunny interior with southern exposure and beautiful mountain and river views. Beautiful perennial gardens, porch, attached garage. A great spot! \$179,000



TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES

SUBDIVISIONS

22 to-be-built condominiums spread across 10 scenic acres and located east of Bethel village en route Sunday River Ski/Golf Resort. Open floorplan with 3 BR, 2.5 BA, attached garage (end units), gas fireplace & more. \$279,000+



WONDERFUL FARMHOUSE STYLE Nearly new maintenance free home in a quiet subdivision close

to town and all season activities. Two farmer's porches, bamboo flooring, brick fireplace, built ins, 9' ceilings, tile, spacious family room, 2 garage. A must see. \$539,000



WALKING DISTANCE TO BETHEL

Great primary or secondary home, spacious, walk to town, nice screened porch, hardwood floors, garage and hear ed out-building, rental history available. \$249,900



**EXCEPTIONAL WATERFRONT HOME** 

Exceptional waterfront home on 2.6 acres. Open floor plan with center fireplace and hardwood floors. Only 2.8 miles to access road to Sunday River Ski Resort and Golf, Great kayaking, canoeing, fishing just outside your door. \$350,000

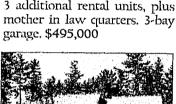


**MOUNTAIN VISTA CONDOS** In the center of beautiful western

Maine & 5 mins from world-class skiing and golfing, Spacious 3 BR bi level units. Ride the Mountain Explorer to skiing with shops, res taurants and pubs along the way and in Bethel village. \$289,000+



Located in Historic district of Bethel. Main House features beautiful wood floors, fireplace. 3 additional rental units, plus





Beautifully appointed Bethel Village, skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/ meticulous landscaping and spectacular westerly views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat. \$379,900



Spacious commercial building located on Main Street in the historic Bethel Village, 3 apartments plus 5 leased offices. Many possibilities a wonderful opportunity. \$495,000



EDEN RIDGE: THE NEXT PHASE We're pleased to announce the next phase of Eden Ridge-6 townhouses within walking distance of Bethel. 3 BR spread over 3 levels, 2.5 baths, attached garage, gas fire place, eastern mountain views. Great rental potential, \$211,000+

#### CONDOS

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10 LOTS AVAILABLE 1.00-1.20 ACRES \$175,000-\$285,000

#### POWDER RIDGE **NEWRY**

4 LOTS AVAILABLE 1.09-3.23 ACRES \$84,900-\$179,900

#### **SWAN HILL AT INTERVALE** INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL

**8 LOTS AVAILABLE** 1.41-2.91 ACRES \$65,900-\$89,900

#### RIVER GLEN INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL

ONLY 6 LOTS AVAILABLE 2.25-5.5 ACRES \$47,900-\$89,900

HARBOR HILL

WOODSTOCK

**3 LOTS AVAILABLE** 

3.13-3.25 ACRES

\$28,000-\$29,000

#### **MEADOW VIEW ESTATES BEAR RIVER ROAD, NEWRY**

**8 LOTS AVAILABLE** 1.20-1.70 ACRES \$74,900-\$94,900

#### **ELLINGWOOD MOUNTAIN** NORTH ROAD, BETHEL

6 LOTS AVAILABLE 1,61-2.88 ACRES \$60,000-\$80,000

#### QUEEN'S LANDING WHEELER'S ACRES MASON TOWNSHIP

3 LOTS AVAILABLE 5.00 ACRES EACH \$58,000 EACH

3 LOTS AVAILABLE 5.00-12.70 ACRES \$69,500-\$98,500

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34 LOTS AVAILABLE 1.49-10.1 ACRES \$121,500-\$325,000

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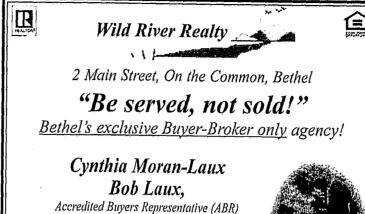
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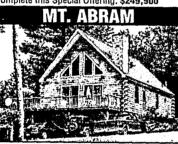
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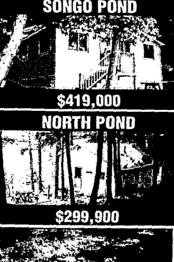


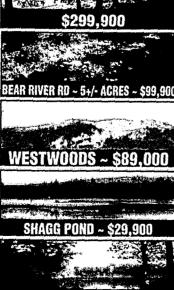
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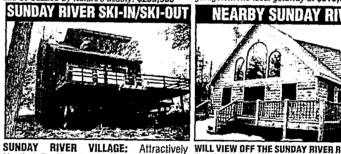




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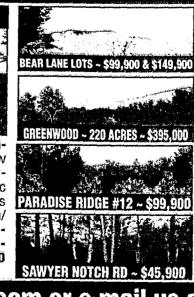


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## **Obituaries**



**ARTHUR S. PINGREE** 

Arthur S. Pingree, 62, died Monday, Nov. 13, 2006 at his residence in Andover.

Born in Rumford, on Nov. 2, 1944, he was a son of Ellsworth and Irene (Cole) Pingree. He was a graduate of Gould Academy in Bethel. He served in the U.S. Army as a Private from 1965 to 1966. He was a self-employed logger in the area.

He was married in Rumford, on May 2, 2006 to Janet McPhee who survives of Andover. Other survivors include a daughter. Kristina Pingree of Andover; two sons, Davis Pingree and James Billings of Rumford, stepsons, Ryan Frost of Auburn and Jason Webster of Georgia; grandchildren.

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Corbin and Sadie Standeven, Nicholas and Nathan Billings, Danika Schearer, step-grandchildren, Hyla, Abby and Chase, a brother Stanwood Pingree of Andover and a sister Rita Wilson of Bethel.

Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday at the Woodlawn Cemetery in Andover with the Rev. Jane Rich officiating. Online condolences and shared memories may be expressed at meaderfh@gwi.

#### FREDA MAE STEVENS

Freda Mae Stevens, 72, of West Paris, died Sunday, Nov. 12, 2006 at her residence with her loving family by her side. She was born in Norway on

June 30, 1934, the daughter of Milford and Madelyn Gibbs Herrick.

She attended West Paris High School.

She married William Stevens on Dec. 7, 1951. She raised her family of seven children and also worked at Penley Corp. in West Paris for 27 years.

She was a member of OES Granite Chapter of West Paris. She wrote poems for her family, made quilts in her spare time, and loved to bake for her family and friends. She was well known for her baking. The love of her life was her family.

She is survived by her loving husband, William of West Paris: seven children, Sharon and her husband Randall Robinson of Myrtle Beach, S.C., Daniel Stevens of Oxford, Randall and his wife Marie Stevens of Norway, Anthony and his wife Megan Stevens of Glenside, Pa., James and his wife Sukie Stevens of Cornville, William Jr. and his wife Shelley Stevens of Norway, and Gregory

Stevens of West Paris; a daughter-in-law, Tammy Stevens of Lisbon; a sister, Ethel (Russell) Pray of South Paris; two brothers, James (Donna) Herrick of Nevada, and Richard and his wife Debbie Herrick of Oxford; 15 grandchildren. four great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her sister, Ruth Pray; and a brother, Robert Herrick.

A funeral service was held Wednesday, Nov. 15 at the Western-Chandler Funeral Home, South Paris, with Lester Stevens officiating. Interment followed at the Wayside Cemetery in West Paris.



FLORENCE M. KRAFT

Florence Mary (Brown) Dickinson Kraft, 92, of 65 Leominster Road, Lunenburg, Mass., died Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2006 at River Terrace Health Care Center in Lancaster, Mass.

Florence was born in Bryn Mawr, Pa., Feb. 1, 1914, the daughter of Thomas and Vesta (Sweezey) Brown. She came to Fitchburg, Mass., at an early age and graduated from

Fitchburg High School, She graduated from the University of Vermont in 1936 with a bachelor's degree in zoology and earned a master's degree in special education from the University of Hartford. She was employed as an elementary school teacher in Wolcott. Conn., and later as a special education teacher in elementary and junior high school in Farmington, Conn. After retirement she lived in Andover, Maine, Westminster, Mass., and Gardner, Mass., before moving to Lunenburg four and a half years ago.

She was active in the Westminster Congregational Church and Rollstone Congregational Church in Fitchburg. She was past matron of Eastern Star Jessamine Lodge, Gardner Chapter. She was very artistic and musical. She enjoyed painting in both oils and watercolors. She soloed and directed junior choirs.

Florence leaves two sons. Thomas C. Brown 2nd of Andover, Maine, and Thomas E. Dickinson of Palm Beach, Fla.; one step-son, Thomas Kraft in Connecticut; also two foster sons, Robert Holland and Willis March also in Connecticut. One daughter and son-in-law, Marion and her husband Bruce Anderson with whom she lived; a stepdaughter, Nancy Kraft of Connecticut; twelve grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her two husbands, Leon Dickinson and Daniel Kraft; also her brother, Richard Brown; and her sisters, Jessie Brown and Helen Brown; and a foster son, Clifford March.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 2 p.m. in Rollstone Congregational Church, 109 Main Street, Fitchburg, Mass. Burial will be private. Contributions may be made to the Scholarship Fund of Rollstone Church or the Camp Wellville Fund of Rollstone Church, 109 Main Street, Fitchburg, MA 01420.



**RALPH OWEN MERRILL** 

Ralph Owen Merrill, 69, of Bethel, died at his Bethel residence on Nov. 11, 2006 with his loving family at his side.

He was born in Berlin, N.H., on May 16, 1937. He attended Bethel schools and was a veteran of the U.S. Army serving in the Vietnam era.

Ralph had been a plumber most of his life and owned and operated Merrill's Plumbing from 1976 to 1996. Working was his life and one of the things he enjoyed most, next to his family,

He is survived by his wife Nicole (Roy) Merrill of Bethel, whom he married on Sept. 22, 1961; two sons, Christopher Owen Merrill and his wife Diane of Albany and Alan Maurice Merrill and his wife Kelly of Mason Township; one daughter, Melinda Yvette Chase of Columbus, Ga.; one brother, Charlie Merrill and his wife Tootsie of Bethel; and

five grandchildren, Brock and Britney both of Mason Township, Teague and Mackenzie both of Albany and Danté of

Columbus, Ga. Graveside services were scheduled at the Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel on Wednesday, Nov. 15. Memorials in his memory are requested to the Football Program at Telstar High School, Walkers Mills Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

#### HELENA R. OLDHAM

Helena "Lena" R. Oldham, 94, of the Dickvale Road, West Peru, died Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2006 at the Ledgeview Living Center in West Paris.

She was born Sept. 26, 1912, in Andover, the daughter of Walter and Nina Robinson.

She was educated in Andover schools and on Sept. 26, 1940, married C. Dwight Oldham. They built and lived in their home on the Dickvale Road until Dwight's death in February 2005. She was well known for being a homemaker and for the many children she helped care for.

Her family includes nieces and nephews, Freda Russell, Jim Saunders, Alta Pierce, Norman Millett, Juanita Sprague, David Robinson, Verna Pendexter and Joanne Moody.

She was predeceased by her husband, Dwight; her parents; sisters, Hazel Millett and Hildreth Saunders; brothers, Herman and Herbert Robinson; and a nephew, Allan Robinson.

The family wishes to thank Ledgeview Living Center; Danny and Tammy Mayo; other close neighbors; the Littlehale family; and her caregivers for the past few years,

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